

ALLEN FIRES GRAND JURY Storm Cripples Local Traffic

SAYS ILLEGAL EMPLOYMENT OF LABORERS STILL EXISTS

Dana Will Not Release 272 Pays Held Up Until Given Conclusive Proof That 1923 Government Will Live Up to Civil Service Rules and Regulations

In spite of the fact that this year's city government, headed by Mayor John J. Donovan, has assured the civil service commission that no irregularities will occur during the administration of the employment of labor, Commissioner Payson Dana has not released 272 pays held up since last year, for the reason that he maintains illegal employment still is going on.

About one week ago the city treasurer, city solicitor and city auditor

conferred with Mr. Dana relative to relationship between the city and the civil service commission and expressing to him the desire of the mayor to have these 272 pays released. They assured the commissioner it is the mayor's intention to see to it that civil service rules are followed whenever laborers are employed during his administration and in return for this

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PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY GEN. DE GOUETTE FROM DUESSELDORF

Establishes State of Siege Throughout Newly Occupied Territory—German Laws Remain in Force—Business Goes on at Essen—Crisis May Come Tomorrow When Miners Receive Their Pay

ESSEN, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Gen. DeGoutte today issued a proclamation from Duesseldorf establishing a state of siege throughout the newly occupied territory. The German laws, it was stipulated, would remain in force.

In general Essen was transacting its usual business today without interruption as the French arrangements for control do not affect the ordinary life of the town, which at present feels only the inconvenience caused by the commandeering of the main build-

ings. It is thought by some observers that the critical day will come tomorrow when the miners will receive their pay and when it is asserted many of them will also receive notice to quit from their employers.

The effect of this action combined with the efforts of the French communists to create trouble, is something which even the most experienced observers are not attempting to forecast.

Poincare Sounds Warning
PARIS, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) France at last has a grip on the "productive guarantee" she has sought. Continued on Page 15

CHANGE IN LIQUOR SQUAD

Officer John F. Lynch to Be Succeeded by Officer William F. Liston

Official announcement was made by Superintendent Atkinson this morning, of the transfer of Officer John F. Lynch from the liquor squad of the local police department to Route 12, night platoon, known as the "depot route." Officer Lynch has been identified with the liquor squad since the early part of 1921. The vacancy caused by his transfer will be filled by Officer William F. Liston, who has been doing duty in the Acre district, known as Route 22, night platoon 1.

STILL ANOTHER CHANGE

Bill Filed Would Give Voters Right to Change Method of Election

(Special to the Sun.)
STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 12.—If a bill filed on Beacon Hill is passed by the legislature the voters of the city of Lowell would have the right to change their present method of electing their city councillors and elect them by proportional representation.

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WORD "PILOT" ON CLOUD

Ship Captain in Distress Writes His Need on Sky With Powerful Light

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—While cruising near the Golden Gate shortly after midnight, Captain J. M. Healey, bar pilot, saw a speck of light suddenly thrust its way through the drifting fog and traced on a passing cloud the word "Pilot."

Interpreting it as a call for help from some fog-bound vessel, Captain Healey started his boat, the "Adventure," through the mists toward the source of the flashing light and soon came upon the Nitro, a municipal carrier inward bound. Captain M. G. Cook of the Nitro told Captain Healey that he tried in vain to negotiate the Narrows into the harbor in the fog and knew of no way to summon a pilot at that hour except by writing his need on the sky with his powerful light.

(Special to the Sun.)
STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 12.—A bill has been filed with the clerk of the house of representatives by Rep. Chas. H. Slowey of Lowell which would compel electric light corporations to share excess profits with cities and towns in which they operate.

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Second Special Grand Jury Summoned by Attorney General Summarily Discharged

RUM FLEET SELLS LIQUOR

Signs Hung Over Sides of Ships Quote Prices for Scotch, Rye, Champagne

22 Vessels Loaded to Gunwales With Liquor Off Sandy Hook

Thousands of Cases Landed—Washington Dry Officials Demand Investigation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—An immediate report was demanded by prohibition officials here from the New Jersey headquarters, concerning the rum fleet, printed in today's papers describing the extensive landing of smuggled liquors on the New Jersey coast.

Rum-Running Fleet Off Shore
HIGHLAND, N. J., Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The great rum fleet of 22 vessels, which bobbed up yesterday off Sandy Hook and the New York dry naval squadron was being reorganized, was still standing off the Amherst channel lightship today, ready for business as usual.

While prohibition forces were taking to New York four small boats captured last night while attempting to land liquor from the mother ships, the rest of the welcoming fleet of 50 were preparing to race back and forth between the rum carriers and shore.

Observers ashore estimated that Continued on Page 14

FOR BURIAL OF LOWELL SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

The city of Lowell has paid to the treasurer of Lowell post, American Legion, \$155.40, for burial of Lowell soldiers and sailors who died overseas and whose bodies were sent home. This city will be reimbursed to this amount by the state.

This payment is the first of its kind made locally and is the result of a recent legislative act which provides for it. It is entirely a state obligation to Legion posts, although looked after and paid for by the city, with the reimbursement already mentioned.

Associate, hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

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At this bank is for the convenience of all the people—to teach Thrift and to acquire the habit of Saving a little of their income each week.

A Book for Everybody.

WASHINGTON SAVINGS INSTITUTE
204 MERRIMACK ST.

ASH COLLECTIONS AGAIN POSTPONED

It was believed yesterday that the postponed collection of ashes and waste would begin next Monday, but today Supt. Doherty of the street department announced another postponement, "until further notice." Every ash division team is being used in the removal of snow and at present it is not possible to say when these teams will be available for their usual work. Whenever a schedule is formed it will be published in the daily press.

MAYOR NAMES KLAN LEADERS

Mer Rouge Chief Executive Gives Names of Members of Hooded Band

McKoin, Skipwith, Harp and Ivey Held Up and Disarmed Three Citizens

BASTROP, La., Jan. 12.—Robert L. Dade, mayor of Mer Rouge, today named Dr. B. M. McKoin, Captain J. S. Skipwith, Kelly Harp and Ed Ivey as members of a K. K. K. band which held up and disarmed Walt Daniel, W. C. Andrews and Harry Neelie, Mer Rouge citizens, near the village of Gallion, La., several months prior to the kidnapping and murder of Daniel and Thomas V. Richard last August.

Skipwith Asks Conference

State's attorneys announced today that Captain J. K. Skipwith, exalted cyclops of the Morehouse parish K. K. K., has requested a conference with Attorney General A. V. Coco and his assistants in connection with the hooded band atrocities in this parish.

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WILL NOT CALL ANOTHER ONE

Discharge Followed Request of Minority of Jurors That They Be Discharged

Foreman Tells Court Jury Not Told Why They Were Dismissed

Told Judge No True Bill Found Against Pelletier or Coakley

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—The special grand jury which has been reviewing the criminal aspects of the evidence on which Joseph C. Pelletier was removed as district attorney of Suffolk county, was discharged summarily by Attorney General J. Warren Allen today. Mr. Allen made no public statement of the reasons for his action which came after an announcement by a minority of the jurors that certain things which had

BOY SCOUTS AT CITY HALL

Lowell Boy Scouts Move to Free Quarters in Municipal Building

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GERALDINE FARRAR HAS ARRIVED IN LOWELL

Geraldine Farrar, former Metropolitan star and for several months a glittering jewel in the world of cinema, arrived in Lowell today this morning to fulfill her concert engagement at the Memorial Auditorium this evening. Her special Pullman, with baggage car attached, came in on the New York train at 3.30 a. m. or, at least, the train was due at that time, but in reality was an hour or so behind schedule, due to heavy snows.

STREET RAILWAY COMPANY ADMITS TEMPORARY DEFEAT BY LATEST SNOW STORM

Many Track Blockades—Stalled Automobiles Obstruct Out of Town Lines—Fifty or More Trucks Buried in Snowdrifts Along Many Highways Leading Out of Lowell

Eastern street railway division chiefs mournfully admitted temporary defeat today at the unexpected and unheralded onslaught of Lowell's latest blizzard with many vicious collaborations.

Transportation lines in every direction were badly blockaded by vast quantities of new and heavy snow that filled up the narrow lanes previously scraped up by blows and street cleaning shovellers.

On many connecting lines, including the Lawrence division, motor trucks, to the number of 50 or more, are reported to be stalled in some cases, covered by heavy snows and last night's addition.

The Reading side lines contain many abandoned automobiles, trucks and passenger, partly buried in drifts along the highways. Others are seen on the sides of the roads on the Billerica-Boston line, with one heavy truck lying on its side in a brook on the Bedford road.

LEADING MAN IN "THE BEAUTIFUL SNOW" DRAMA BROADCASTS STORM FIGHT ORDERS

"Back on the job again tonight, with every man and team and truck available," was the order broadcast today by Harry Doherty, superintendent of streets, now playing the leading role in the continuous drama, "The Snow, the Snow, the Beautiful Snow."

Yesterday, the superintendent had decided to cut out the all-night work, but today's storm forced a change in plans and the 24-hour strain will continue.

Not in years has the street department been so heavily taxed as at present. While its resources are not exhausted, they are tired and worn, for it has been a long, tedious campaign, with a recent snowfall to combat.

"WHITE GLOVE" DAY IN DISTRICT COURT

What is so rare as a day in a police court without a single arrest being recorded? That's just what happened today when the morning's luck failed to reveal a single offender. Officers of the court say it is a most unusual state of affairs but an agreeable one for all. It is due up to somebody to present Judge Bright a pair of white gloves, which is the customary thing to do on a day when no prisoners appear before the bar of justice.

Associate, hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

TOMORROW IS THE LAST DAY TO JOIN THE

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CLASSES TO SUIT EVERYBODY
25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$2.00, \$5.00, \$10.00, \$20.00
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Open Every Saturday from 8.30 A. M. to 9 P. M.
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Merrimack at Palmer Street

MOVES FOR 5-CENT FARE

Mayor Curley of Boston Submits Petition—Bill to Repeal "Daylight Saving"

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Mayor Curley submitted to the state legislature yesterday his petition for the establishment of a five-cent fare on the Boston Elevated, any deficit to be made up by local taxation on the cities and towns where the lines are located.

A bill to repeal the "daylight saving" statute was filed by Representatives Ashley of Deerfield and Hooper of Buckland.

Another bill to regulate the coal business and for the protection of the public from discrimination and extortionate prices, was filed yesterday. Representative Harold R. Goewey of Plattsburgh, submitted a measure which provides for the licensing of dealers in coal and coke by the licensing authority in the city or town in which they do business, for the suspension or revocation of licenses upon conviction of violation of the statute or adjusted compensation bill.

The regulations of the fuel administration.

The licensee aggrieved by suspension or revocation might appeal to the justice of the district court of his district, whose decision would be final and binding upon all parties. Pending such appeal and decision thereon the license would be suspended.

Petitions From Veterans

The Massachusetts department of the American Legion and the United Spanish War Veterans are joint petitioners for many items of legislation at the state house, including these:

That any city or town may appropriate money for the decoration of the graves of members of either of these organizations.

For more favorable terms for the retirement of veterans from the public service.

For a minimum credit of 5 per cent for veterans in civil service examinations.

That the proposed memorial to Col. C. W. Whitteley and Privates Perkins and Dillboy include also the name of Ralph Talbot of Weymouth, killed in action and recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor.

For preference in civil service for all eligible veterans over all other applicants but disabled veterans.

For the passage by congress of an adjusted compensation bill.

For a preferential rating of 5 per cent for disabled veterans in civil service examinations.

For a repository for military records in the national archives.

For a credit of two points for veterans in examinations for promotion in the civil service.

For the establishment of an employment bureau for veterans under the state department of labor and industries.

For preference for dependent widows of veterans over all others in examinations for non-competitive positions.



Rub It In

Also for pleurisy, pains in the chest, side or back, neuralgia, inflammation, muscular rheumatism, bruises, swellings, frost bites, chilblains, stiff joints and muscles. The favorite family liniment for over 65 years.



Radio Broadcasts

STATION WHI, MEDFORD HILLSIDE

2 p. m.—Women's club.

2 p. m.—News.

5 p. m.—Children's stories.

5:30 p. m.—Furniture and livestock market reports.

6 p. m.—Late news and early sports.

Police report.

7:30 p. m.—Industrial report. Concert program: Miss Margaret Jennings, lyric soprano; Miss Ethel Hutchinson, pianist.

STATION WNAO, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Dance music by Shepard's orchestra, followed by selections on the phonograph and player-piano.

5 p. m.—Concert program by Miss Charlotte Linnell, soprano; Mrs. Edith B. Page, piano; A. Ralph Talbot, baritone; John Hartman, tenor; piano, Mrs. Chester L. Geary, contralto; Miss Susan Williams, piano.

STATION WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

7:30 p. m.—Bedtime story.

7:45 p. m.—Notes of interest to farmers.

8 p. m.—Concert program.

STATION WXY, SCHENECTADY

6 p. m.—Bridge and stock market quotations; news bulletin.

6:30 p. m.—Fairy tales by Kolla Hager.

7:10 p. m.—Health talk.

7:45 p. m.—Radio drama.

10:30 p. m.—Concert program.

STATION KDKA, PITTSBURGH

6:15 p. m.—Popular music.

7:15 p. m.—News, notes of interest to farmers.

7:30 p. m.—Bedtime story.

7:45 p. m.—Report of the New York Stock Exchange.

8 p. m.—Talks on literature and etiquette.

8:50 p. m.—Concert program.

STATION KYW, CHICAGO

9 p. m.—News and sports; special features.

STATION WJZ, NEWARK

4 p. m.—Closing prices on stocks and bonds, grain, coffee and sugar.

4:05 p. m.—Fashions.

5:30 p. m.—Closing prices on stocks, bonds, grain, coffee and sugar; stories, industrial news and sporting news.

7 p. m.—Bedtime story.

7:30 p. m.—Musical and literary program.

10 p. m.—Time signals; concert continued.

LIKE TROPICAL BIRDS

Some of the most colorful dinner-gowns are made of black chiffon with large figures in red, yellow and green.

REORGANIZE U. S. WORSTED CO. BOSTON, Jan. 12.—The plan for reorganization of the United States Worsted Co., proposed by its board of directors, was accepted yesterday at a meeting of stockholders, according to an announcement by President Myron Wood. The meeting was behind closed doors. The president said that two-thirds of the stockholders were recorded in favor of the plan, which provides for the organization of a new company to take over the depleted assets and heavy obligations of the old.



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\$25.00

Afternoon and Evening Dresses, made of imported chiffon velvet. Made to sell from \$35.00 to \$40.50. Second Floor

READY-TO-WEAR CLEARANCE SALE

After the Biggest Year's Business We Have Ever Done in Our Ready-to-Wear Shops, We Are Offering

Coats, Wraps, Suits, Waists, Undermuslins, Silk Underwear and Infants' and Children's Wear AT REMARKABLE VALUES

That would be impossible except for our tremendous volume of business. We bought hundreds of selected garments from real manufacturers who took a tremendous loss. We have also made big mark-downs on our regular stock. We have planned for the biggest January sale in our history.

REMEMBER EVERYTHING IN THIS SALE IS BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.'S STANDARD OF QUALITY, WITH OUR FULL GUARANTEE OF ABSOLUTE SATISFACTION.

COATS AND WRAPS

LUSTROSA, ORMANDALE and VELVERETTE with Platinum Wolf Collars.

\$69.50

Blouse-back and straight-line models with plenty of black, the scarcest and most fashionable, all crepe lined.

Second Floor

WRAPS AND COATS

BEAVER, SQUIRREL and FOX TRIMMED

\$45.00

Made of Montrey and all wool Bolivia, all silk lined, blouse and straight models. Misses' and women's sizes. Some of the collars alone are worth 1/2 the price we are asking.

Second Floor

FUR TRIMMED SUITS

BEAVER, FOX and SQUIRREL TRIMMED

\$29.50, \$49.50, \$69.50

We have taken our entire stock and marked it at about half price. All individual suits, custom made.

Second Floor

COATS AND WRAPS

Beaver Collars and Cuffs.

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\$79.50

Blouse-back styles, straight-line styles and draped models, all crepe lined. Remarkable values. The best values in five years.

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Twill Dresses

\$15.00

Tailored twill dresses in many styles, practically all of them with silk linings. Dresses that have been selling for \$25.00.

Second Floor

HUDSON SEAL COATS

(Dyed Muskrat)

\$298.50

We bought from a most reliable manufacturer 10 Hudson Seal Coats, full 46 inch long, skunk collars and cuffs. Coats that were made to sell for \$400. Every one guaranteed. The lowest price in two years for a coat of this length and quality.

Second Floor

ADVANCE STYLES

THE NEW SILHOUETTE WRAP

Made in Melrossa, a new spring style fabric.

\$49.50

These wraps are trimmed with pointed badger collars, crepe lined, and would be a good value at \$39.50 without fur for the spring, all heavily interlined.

Second Floor

LITTLE TOTS' COATS

50 to be closed out at a big reduction. Popular colors and the latest styles. Plain and fur trimmed. Broadcloth, bolivia, ratine and polo mixtures.

\$4.75, \$5.98, \$6.98,

\$8.98 to \$10.98

All of these coats have been marked down 1-3 and a large number are 1-2 regular prices.

Third Floor

Girls' Wool Crepe Dresses

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\$8.98 to \$12.98

All tailored, wool crepe, made in the season's best styles. The most fashionable and wanted wool material of the year.

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Silk Underwear Sample Line

1-3 Off Regular Prices

GOWNS, CHEMISE, BLOOMERS, STEP-INS

The finest line of tailored silk underwear that we know of. Made of real Pussy Willow, Radium Silk, Moon Glow and Lorette Silk. This underwear sells regularly from \$5.00 to \$25.00. This sample line, one piece of a kind, at 1-3 off regular prices.

Second Floor

Twill and Duvetyn Dresses

\$35.00

We have taken all our twill and wool duvetyn dresses, all one of a kind and exclusive styles, that sold from \$45.00 to \$69.50.

Second Floor

FLANNELETTE NIGHT ROBES

\$1.29 and \$1.49

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Second Floor

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. CHARLES D. SLATTERY

The many friends of Mr. Charles D. Slattery, manager of the Talbot Clothing company, will be relieved to learn of the death of his wife, Katherine P. (Connor) Slattery, last evening at her home, 73 Pleasant street, after a few days' illness. Indeed, when illness first seized her it was felt that it was but a slight indisposition and that her robust constitution would ultimately restore her to complete health. Late yesterday afternoon, however, a decided change came in her condition and despite all medical aid, she passed away, surrounded by her family. She was the daughter of the late Michael and Elizabeth (Hogan) Connor, and a life long resident of the Belvidere section and a member of one of its best known families. Mrs. Slattery was a woman of many admirable qualities, deeply interested in those artistic things of life which lent comfort to the needy and those in distress. With a most engaging personality and radiant smile, in the enjoyment of her splendid little family, she drew about her a circle of friends who esteemed her for her fine qualities of mind and heart and who will deeply deplore her untimely demise. To cut down in the prime of life such a splendid type of womanhood when the future held so much of promise to her, is sad indeed. Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Frances L. and Alice; one son, Charles; two sisters, Mrs. James S. McNabb and Miss Sadie A. Connor, a teacher in the public schools; four brothers, Rev. William A. Connor of St. Paul's church, Dorchester; Matthew P., the well known plasterer; Francis A., superintendent of buildings for the city of Lowell, and Thomas S. Connor, also two nephews, Walter S. and John H. Connor. Funeral notice elsewhere.

PATRICK CROWE DIED SUDDENLY TODAY

Patrick Crowe, a popular employee of the Lowell Bleachery for a number of years and well known resident of this city, died suddenly at 6.30 o'clock this morning, at his home, 153 Appleton street. Mr. Crowe worked all day yesterday and this morning got up at his usual hour and at that time he seemed in good health. A few minutes later he was seized with a weak spell and passed away before medical assistance reached him. The body was viewed by Medical Examiner T. B. Smith.

Mr. Crowe was about 75 years of age and had been a resident of this city a great many years. He leaves to mourn his loss a brother, James Crowe of this city and two sisters, Mrs. Marie Cox and Mrs. Bridget Perry of Australia. The remains were removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay, 658 Gorham street.

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Fresh Killed CHICKENS, lb. 39c	Plump 2-Lb. BROILERS, lb. 39c

BAKERY POUND CAKE 5 Choice Varieties, lb. 33c	VEGETABLES Green Mt. Potatoes, pk. 22c Fancy Onions 7 lbs. 25c Hothouse Lettuce 5c, 8c Fresh Mushrooms, lb. 65c Sweet Potatoes 6 lbs. 25c White Cauliflower, lb. 10c Fresh Green Beans, qt. 18c Hothouse Radishes 2 for 9c Fresh Wax Beans, qt. 23c Fresh Kale, pk. 35c Fresh Spinach, pk. 45c	CABBAGE FREE WITH CORNED BEEF Small Lean Fresh SHOULDERS 16c Lb. Lean Beef BOSTON ROLLS No waste, no bones, lb. 13c, 15c HOT BAKED BEANS Right from the ovens, qt. 25c
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HOT BUTTERKIST POPCORN 5c Bag, 7½c Box
GROCERIES—All Well Known Brands at REDUCED PRICES

FUNERAL NOTICES

MURPHY—Died in this city January 11, 1923. Funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from 29 Whipple street. Solemn high funeral mass at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers John P. Rogers in charge.

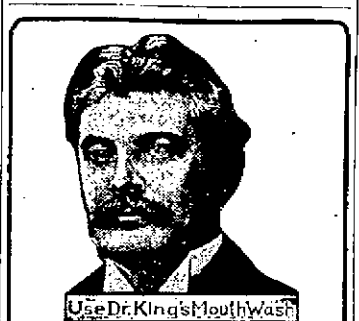
CROWE—The funeral of Patrick Crowe will take place Monday morning from the home of his sister, Mrs. Julia O'Sullivan, 658 Gorham street, at 9 o'clock. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at St. Peter's church at 10 o'clock. The body will be placed in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay.

MURPHY—The funeral of William H. Murphy will take place Saturday morning from the home of his sister, Mrs. Julia O'Sullivan, 658 Gorham street, at 9 o'clock. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at St. Peter's church at 10 o'clock. The body will be placed in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay.

SLATTERY—Died Jan. 11, at her home, 73 Pleasant street, Katherine P. (Connor) Slattery, wife of Charles D. Slattery and sister of Rev. William A. Connor of St. Paul's church, Dorchester. The funeral will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the home, and a solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Jas. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS
HAMMERSLEY—Many clergymen attended the funeral of Patrick J. Hammersley, one of the oldest street men of this city, which took place this morning with solemn services at the Immaculate Conception church. The funeral cortege headed by an automobile filled with floral offerings, left the home of the deceased, 29 Harrison street at 9 o'clock and wound its way to the church where, at 10 o'clock, a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated. There was a large congregation at the church, as deceased was well and favorably known. The celebrant at the mass was Rev. P. J. Hammersley, O.M.I., a son of the deceased, and he was assisted by Rev. James P. McCarthy, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. James D. McCarthy, O.M.I., as sub-deacon. Rev. Martin Norton, O.M.I., acted as master of ceremonies. Seated within the sanctuary were Very Rev. Lawrence J. Tigue, O.M.I., Very Rev. J. E. Carroll, O.M.I., Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O.M.I., Rev. J. C. Duffy, O.M.I., Rev. J. R. Burns, O.M.I., Rev. W. A. Connor, Rev. J. H. Doherty, O.M.I., Rev. W. Mahan, O.M.I., Rev. J. P. Flynn, O.M.I., Rev. W. J. Kerwin, O.M.I., Rev. T. J. Coffey, O.M.I., Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., Rev. John McGinness, O.M.I., Rev. P. X. McMahon, O.M.I. and Rev. R. J. McCoy, O.M.I. Attending the funeral also were the Grey Nuns of the Immaculate Conception school. The choir, augmented for the occasion, rendered the Gregorian chant. At

the offertory William L. Geekin sang "Domine Jesu Christe" and after the elevation Mrs. Philip Murphy rendered "O Meritum Passionis." As the body was being borne from the church the choir sang "De Profundis," the solo being sustained by James I. Donnelly. Miss Marion Ryan presided at the organ. The Strangers' Union and the Ancient Order of United Workmen were represented by Thomas Cullen, Myles Moloney, Edward Lueker, Thomas McAfee, James Quinn and Philip Haney. The bearers were Thomas Houlihan, John Carville, Mamee Flanagan, James O'Neill, John Mann, Michael Deacon, John Burns and John Murphy. The ushers at the house and church were John Joyce and Joseph Taft. At the close of the service the cortege wended its way to St. Patrick's cemetery where committal services were conducted in St. Bridget's chapel by Very Rev. Fr. Tigue, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Hammersley, O.M.I., Fr. Dorgan, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Duffy, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Connor, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Doherty, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Flynn, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Coffey, O.M.I. and Rev. Fr. McCoy, O.M.I. The body was lowered in the receiving tomb. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.



Use Dr. King's Mouthwash

"Doctor, I Want Teeth I Can Eat With"
A man came into this office some time ago and made the above statement. He said he had two sets of teeth and could not eat with either of them. I made him a set and he came in the office later and said they were the only ones he could keep in his mouth while eating. In fact he could chew peanuts and eat apples without the least trouble. The reason for this is my particular method of taking impressions, study of the shape and relation of the jaws, and correct articulation of the teeth.
Now, I can make you a set of teeth just as good as his. If your plate drops or rocks come in, for I make a specialty of difficult cases and will examine your mouth and give you advice free of charge.
The price for sets of teeth is \$8 up. Gold crowns \$5. Fillings 50c up. Teeth extracted painlessly free, when plates are ordered.
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BRIDGES—The funeral of Edward J. Bridges took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Glaser, 230 Shaden street, Draught and funeral services were read by Rev. St. Louis church where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. Eugene J. Vincent. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. At the offertory the Jesu was rendered by

January Half Price Sale of **MUSLIN UNDERWEAR**
Still Going On
Chemise, Step-In, Bloomers, Night Gowns, Petticoats, Camisoles, Princess Slips, in a variety of styles, at a saving of just half. Second Floor

TIMELY SALE OF Sample Knitted Underwear
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MISSSES' FORREST MILLS UNION SUITS, silk and wool; values to \$3. Sample Price **\$1.29**
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MISSSES' VESTS AND DRAWERS, wool or silk and wool, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$2. Sample Price **69c**
MISSSES' UNION SUITS, VESTS, DRAWERS, heavy knitted jersey; values to 76c. Sample Price **39c**
WOMEN'S VESTS, TIGHTS, SKIRTS, wool or silk and wool, in heavy and medium weight jersey; values to \$2. Sample Price **79c**
MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, all wool. Shirts made double or single breasted style, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$3.50. Sample Price **\$1.29**
BOYS' UNION SUITS, wool or cotton and wool, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$3.50. Sample Price **\$1.29**
BOYS' FLEECE LINED UNION SUITS, heavy ribbed jersey, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$1.25. Sample Price **79c**

— Street Floor —

THE FIRST SPRING HATS ARRIVE
Chic, gay little models in taffeta, straw, haircloth, satin. All the newest early Spring colors; chocolate and golden brown, gray, navy and changeable blue and black. Mostly small toque and mushroom and off the face shapes with trimmings of feathers, nigrettes, crystal pins, flowers and embroidery.
\$3.95 \$5 \$7.95 up

Clearance Sale
IN THE
Boys' Clothing Department

That Brings Out Unexpected Opportunities for Worth While Savings.
BOYS' ALL WOOL CAPS, of gray and brown, assorted mixtures. Made with ear bands. \$1 value. Special **69c**
SUITS for younger boys. Middy and Oliver Twist styles, made of good quality flannel, corduroy, tweeds. Sizes 3 to 8, **\$1.98**
BOYS' TWO TROUSER SUITS, made of heavy all wool mixtures. Nicely tailored, will fit right. Gray, green, brown. Sizes 8 to 17 years **\$6.95**
HEAVY SPORT MACKINAWs, for boys from 8 to 11. Good looking dark plaid patterns, made with side and muff pockets, all round belts, shawl or convertible collars. \$8.50 values. Special **\$5.98**
BLACK RUBBER RAINCOATS, for boys from 12 to 18 years **\$2.75**

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FOOTWEAR FOR STORMY WEATHER
MEN'S RUBBERS, all sizes and styles **98c**
WOMEN'S RUBBERS, all styles and sizes **69c**
BOYS' RUBBER BOOTS, first quality **\$2.50 to \$3.98**
BOYS' STORM SHOES, high cut **\$1.98 to \$3.98**

DEATHS
GOYETTE—Henry Goyette died yesterday at his home, 153 Perkins street, aged 40 years. He is survived by his wife, Elmira (Rousseau) Goyette; two daughters, Alice Malvina and Yvonne Goyette; five sons, Eugene, Alvin, Alfred, Leo and George Goyette; three brothers, Elmer Goyette of Grandmire, P. Q. Albert Goyette of this city and Joseph Goyette of Chatham, N. S. a stepbrother, Alfred Goyette of L'Abadie, Canada, and three sisters, Mrs. Jeffrey Carpenter of Lowell, Mrs. Alma Lamy and Mrs. Josephat Mathon of this city.

WARREN—The funeral of Mrs. M. Hessa J. Warren took place from her home, 26 Princeton street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Percy E. Thomas, pastor of the First Congregational church. The floral offerings were numerous. The bearers were Arthur Bartlett, Hayward M. Bartlett, William Roddick, Glaser, son-in-law, and Philip McGowan. And George Matte consists of deceased. Attending the funeral were friends and relatives from Boston, New York city and Springfield. The burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

HAYES—The funeral of Virginia Hayes took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, John J. and Elizabeth (Fife) Hayes, 23 Sargent street. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

DESGARDINS—Eleonora Desgardins died yesterday at the Lowell isolation hospital, aged 76 years. She is survived by her father, Godfrey Desgardins, of this city. The body will be removed today to the home of Mrs. Samuel Renaud, 15 Grand street, by Undertakers Amende Archambault & Sons.

MURPHY—William H. Murphy, a resident of Chelmsford, Centre for about 14 years, died last night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Julia O'Sullivan, 99 Lincoln street, after a short illness, aged 63 years. He leaves, besides his sister, two nieces and four nephews. He was the husband of the late Susan (McCauley) Murphy, who died in Chelmsford, Centre about six months ago.

TRIBUTE TO MR. P. HAMMERSLEY
Good-bye, dear "Hallyearn."
Oh, how for you we'll yearn.
We'll hear no more your kindly greeting
You gave your friends at every meeting.

SIMPSON—Died in Worcester, Jan. 11, James L. Simpson, aged 72 years.

January Half Price Sale in the CORSET SECTION
The best known makes of corsets, brassieres, bandeaux, pink and white, in plain and fancy models, at a saving of just half. Sale now going on. Second Floor

100 HANDSOME Canton Crepe Dresses
Values to \$29.50
SPECIAL \$14.95

A remarkable collection of dresses just out of their New York boxes. Heavy quality crepe, in the new shades of beige, brown, cocoa, also plenty of navy blue and black. All effective new styles and trimmings that are the fashion of the moment. Dresses pretty enough for any occasion. Sizes 16 to 44.

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\$10 FUR TRIMMED SPORT COATS, heavy woolen coatings, in rich brown with large fur collars. Heavy double seams, pockets, inverted plait backs, all round belts. Full silk linings and warm interlinings. Sizes 16 to 40.

\$19.50 GOOD CHOICE OF FUR TRIMMED COATS, sport and dressy models of mannish and soft pile fabrics. Several shades of brown, navy blue, black. Collars of racoon and other furs. Silk and satin linings. Sizes 16 to 42. Values to \$29.50.

\$39.50 PLAIN AND FUR TRIMMED COATS, of the most wanted materials, including Ayrshire, Normandie, Bolivia, Fedora. Some have large collars of beaver, badger, nutria, Australian opossum, caracul, astrachan. Black, navy blue, brown, taupe, gray. Heavy linings of satin and canton crepe. Many Betty Wales sample coats included. Values to \$59.50.

Second Floor

READY TODAY—613 PAIRS WOMEN'S HOSE
SILK AND WOOL—GLOVE SILK—PURE THREAD SILK
Full fashioned. Plain and fancy weaves. Black and colors. All sizes. Values to **\$1.39**
927 PAIRS WOMEN'S \$2 HOSE—79c
SILK AND WOOL—THREAD SILK—WOOL
Black and colors. Reinforced heels and toes. All sizes. Street Floor

CIDER MEN ARE JUBILANT

Makers of Refined Cider Win Legal Battle Against Federal Government

Preserved sweet cider with the tang that lingers but not intoxicates scores heavily once more and the cider makers of the refined, non-alcoholic clan are not thinking of storm troubles now.

They've just won that long-contested legal battle against the dear old federal government and are going to get back a lot of money paid over illegally to said government under soft-drink war tax rulings, made sometime ago after the war, but now quashed for keeps.

The winners of the big battle to have refunds made of taxes paid on preserved sweet cider (without alcohol) are jubilant today, and at least two large concerns in Lowell are affected by the decision of Federal Judge Morton. They are Frank B. Jewett & Co., 21 West Adams street, and Boyle Bros., of 867 Pawtucket street.

Judge Morton, in ruling that preserved sweet cider should not be classed as a "soft drink," orders that \$248.16 be refunded to the Sterling Cider company of Sterling, Mass., as a tax illegally collected on cider under the "soft drink" classification by former acting collector of Internal Revenue Andrew J. Casey.

According to the court, "sweet cider" was known to the world as a beverage for centuries before the term "soft drink" was coined as applying to non-alcoholic beverages, and should not be classed as a "soft drink."

Judge Morton further states in his opinion just handed down, that "the term 'soft drink' is a belated, of comparatively recent origin. It connotes compounding or manufacture. I do not think it would be held to include such a well known and distinctive thing as cider."

The Sterling Cider company's lawsuit was a test case on the part of the national association of which the Ster-

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Two-fold value in getting the lowest price and paying the easiest terms. The down-payment is in itself a saving

Perfect floor samples and other excellent grade merchandise marked greatly below former prices

Superior For Quality and Low Price

A Four-Piece Chamber Suite \$195
Fine American walnut, includes very large vanity case, large dresser, pretty bow-end bed, and roomy chest of drawers. Easy terms.

Three-Piece Living Room Suite \$114.50
Excellent grade tapestry; spring construction throughout; flexible chair, extremely comfortable sofa and arm chair, all with loose cushions. Originally a floor sample, and priced very low. Liberal credit terms.

A Six-Piece Dining Room Suite \$129.50
American walnut, complete with round table, large buffet and four chairs with brown leather seats. China cabinet extra. Liberal credit terms.

ACCOUNTS OPENED FROM \$5 TO \$5000

LIBERAL CREDIT

Easy Weekly or Monthly Payments
10% DISCOUNT FOR CASH

Dining Room Table and Four Chairs \$35
Good quality golden oak table, and chairs, having leather seats. Solid, reliable construction. Reduced about 35% in price. Convenient credit terms.

Gas or Electric Lamp \$7.95
Complete. Painted shade on polished metal standard. For the living room, table, attractive scroll work base. At a greatly lowered price.

Famous "Englander" Couch Bed \$22.50
EXTRA HEAVY DOUBLE DAY BED—Equipped with sagless springs; in battleship gray on a metal finish; guaranteed; heavy, deeply quilted mattress with green cover.

Console Set \$25
An artistic addition to the living room or vestibule. Polychrome mirror with silk cord and tassels and polychrome Renaissance table. Low price for January.

A SUITE YOU WILL WANT

Ten-Piece Dining Room Suite of Great Dignity and Charm \$235
Designed for greatest durability and "homeliest" appearance. American walnut, consisting of table, 40-inch buffet, serving table, china cabinet, five side chairs and arm chair have blue leather seats. Liberal credit arranged.

A Three-Piece Living Room Suite \$195
A big arm chair, bedside wing chair and comfortable sofa, upholstered in pretty figured pattern. Big discount on this item. Liberal credit.

Combination Chamber Suite \$75
Here's money saved! A full sized metal bed, finished in walnut, dresser and chest of drawers, spring and mattress, all for this low price. By all means see this "Once-in-a-lifetime" offering.

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MIDDLE STREET—Just Around the Corner

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ANOTHER BIG SHOW FOR TODAY AND TOMORROW

GLADYS LESLIE

"FATAL LOVE"

The darling of a million fans. In one of her best productions. Seven acts.

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ETHEL CLAYTON in "FOR THE DEFENSE"

Six reels of dramatic action.

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LEE MORAN Comedy

"WOMEN FIRST"

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Winter Carnival Opens With Big Joke

GREENFIELD, Jan. 12.—Greenfield's winter carnival opened today with a practical joke, which was on a number of prominent local citizens and at least two state officials. A hare and hound chase, which the public believed was to be between Canadian jackrabbits and beagle hounds, had been bitterly protested for several weeks and the aid of Commissioner Gilbert of the state department of agriculture and Attorney General Benton to prevent it was sought yesterday on the ground that the exhibition would be a cruel one and the release of the rabbits a menace to agriculture. Today at noon, from an ice castle on Greenfield common six boys attired as rabbits and a similar number in dog costumes were released and chased each other up the street to the applause and laughter of a big crowd, which had expected something quite different. The most surprised persons in the audience, however, were the "indignant" citizens. The carnival which has an elaborate program, lasts until Sunday night.

Rum Fleet Sells Liquor

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Thousands of cases had been landed last night. The rum fleet, presumably sailing from the Bahamas, still had a vast stock to dispose of to bidders putting out from this resort and other places along the coast. Liquor landed last night was reported to have been sent by motor truck to New York, Philadelphia, Washington and other cities.

Whiskey, gin, champagne and wine all were offered for sale and keen competition has developed among the skippers of the rum ships. As the bootlegger runs alongside, in his powerboat he scans signs hung over the sides of the mother ships and decides from which he will purchase. The wine is taken to the bottle fishermen that Scotch whiskey of such and such brand may be had at \$10 to \$15 a case.

Rye was quoted at \$35. Champagne was higher. The visiting flotilla flies the flags of many nations and the crews are of all races. The vessels are loaded to the gunwales with liquor. "Saw 5000 cases in one pile on one boat," declared a gray-haired runner. "You can get anything you want. Cheap, too."

FRENCH RESERVE TOLD TO BE READY

WINTHROP, Jan. 12.—Ident. Paul Monte, under reserve as a member of the French air service, was ordered today to be ready to resume active duties. His orders came from the French embassy at Washington, he said. Ident. Monte was wounded in the world war.

VOTING FOR NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Nearly 1000 members of the Lowell chamber of commerce are voting for nine directors for the 1923 official board. The election ends at 6 p. m., next Tuesday night.

The ballots were mailed Wednesday to the members, with instructions to vote for nine, and also only, and return the marked ballots as soon as possible. There are no "spoiled" candidates. The ballot contains the name of every member of the chamber, making quite an imposing "Australasian" when opened up for perusal when the members receive their letter mail.

No particular names have been boosted for the directors' berths so far as known, and no campaign along election lines was ever conducted more quietly. After the members make their final choice next Tuesday night, however, will come election by the new directors of the chief executive.

Suggested lists of leaders for this branch of the chamber executive work include several prominent names, but no one knows at this time who will be the next president.

NAME BARRACKS FOR MICHAEL COLLINS

DUBLIN, Jan. 12.—The royal barracks which were recently evacuated by British soldiers are to be renamed "Collins barracks" in memory of Michael Collins, and Richmond barracks will be renamed "Keogh barracks" in memory of Gen. Tom Keogh. Other barracks in the city and vicinity are also to receive new names.

WARSHIPS TO GO TO MEMEL

French and British Governments Prepare to Send Battleships to Baltic

Lithuanian Irregulars Cross Frontier—Exchange Shots With German Guards

French and Germans Fight Common Enemy on Frozen Shores of Baltic

PARIS, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) The French and British governments are preparing to send warships to Memel, the former East Prussian territory on the Baltic Internationalized by the Treaty of Versailles, with the purpose of maintaining order, in view of the invasion by the Lithuanians.

Dispatches received by the French foreign office today indicate that the Lithuanian irregulars who crossed the frontier earlier in the week have reached the outskirts of the town of Memel and exchanged shots with the German guard.

The great harbor port at Memel, which has been under the temporary authority of a directorate composed of Germans since the signing of the treaty of Versailles, has no other military protection than a couple of hundred French soldiers, part of a battalion sent there during the peace negotiations of 1919.

While the Germans predominate in the town, the Lithuanians are in far greater number in the immediate outlying districts and there are fears in French official circles that the irregulars may overthrow the local force and create a difficult situation. The French and the British have made a diplomatic protest in the Lithuanian government at Kovno. The reply was that every effort was made to prevent the irregulars from crossing the frontier.

Later reports indicate that a rather strong force has not only succeeded in crossing the frontier, but has reached the town.

The movement is regarded here as the result of a well laid plan, the object of which is to balance the Polish occupation of Vilna by taking possession of Memel.

French and Germans Join LONDON, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) The curious spectacle of the French and the Germans fighting a common enemy on the frozen shores of the Baltic is expected from today's developments in the top-spy European situation as a result of the Lithuanian advance on Memel.

SALARY INCREASES NOT APPROVED BY MAYOR

Mayor John J. Donovan has not approved salary increases for Henry I. Williams, business agent, and William E. Thornton, supervisor of janitors in the school department and the payrolls have gone through the usual channels without the raises voted to each at the final meeting of the 1922 committee and concerning which there was considerable discussion at the first meeting of this year's board.

PRICE OF GERMAN COAL SOARS BERLIN, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) The price of German coal will be increased an average of 30 per cent. as from today. It was announced this morning that the new wages will be increased about 65 per cent.

STRONG EARTHQUAKE SHOCK SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 12.—A strong earthquake shock was felt last evening from Rancagua to Copiapo. No damage resulted.

Says Illegal Employment of Laborers Still Exists

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assurance, the mayor sought to have these men released.

Following this conference Mayor Donovan elaborated upon the matter by letter to Commissioner Dana and today received a reply, which states that the men now withheld will not be released until proof is given that illegality in the employment of labor will cease.

The letter follows: Department of Civil Service and Registration, State House, Boston 3, January 11, 1923. Hon. John J. Donovan, Mayor, Lowell. Dear Sir: I have received your courteous letter of Jan. 8, and have not replied to you before for the reason that I am still receiving information that men are still employed in a manner which is illegal. I am, however, in high hopes that with the advent of your administration these illegalities will cease, but before I release any man I am waiting to give you an opportunity to conclusively prove this fact to me. Very truly yours,

PAYSON DANA, Commissioner of Civil Service. Mayor Donovan will not stop in his attempt to get these men released and reiterates his intention of doing all in his power to have the civil service rules observed by department heads who hire laborers. During the present emergency many 6-day men have been put to work as is allowed by law when an emergency such as this present one exists, but aside from this special work, no men have been employed, he states.

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COPPER REPORT

981,000,000 Pounds Turned Out in 1922

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Approximately 981,000,000 pounds of copper was turned out from American smelters during 1922, according to the geological survey estimates made public today, as compared with 506,000,000 pounds in 1921. This included a considerable amount of metal coming from mines outside of the United States, but sent to American smelters for treatment.

Forty-six years ago there was only one telephone in the world.

Off to Bring Home Yanks From Rhine

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The army transport St. Mihiel steamed out of the harbor at noon today to bring home the last of the American army of occupation in Germany. While Antwerp was given out as the destination the St. Mihiel's Captain said he expected to receive wireless instructions in mid-ocean from Major General Henry T. Allen, commander of the American forces, which might name another port for embarkation.

Bill Provides For Army of 125,000

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—A standing army of 125,000 enlisted men and 12,000 commissioned officers, the same as authorized last year, is provided for in the army appropriation bill reported today to the house.

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THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE



Blouses
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"A change of blouse is a change of costume" is the slogan of the new blouses—and with reason, for the addition of another blouse to the original skirt changes the scheme of things altogether. Vivid as an autumn sky or a Chinese rug—so delightful that each is a pleasure to gaze on as well as wear—and they are priced very moderately.

- crepe-de-chine with combinations of prints.
- Allover crepe de chine prints.
- paisley-jacquettes which are becoming to every type.
- caravan paisley hip blouses.
- crepe knit jacquettes.
- cantone crepe blouses that are exact French copies, with cut steel beads in beautiful designs.
- The blouses are in many styles and shades—some like those pictured—with plenty others that are not.

\$4.95 to \$13.95

Second Floor

A Sale Of Embroidered Models

When one selects an article to embroider there is a desire to see that particular article, or one similar, made up. That's why we have these models—and of course being shown and handled so much they get soiled and mused—and have to be replaced with new ones—which means that the discarded ones are put on sale at reduced prices. Therefore this sale of 34 odd pieces—which began today.

- 1 Embroidered House Dress in old rose; regular price \$4.50. Now **\$2.50**
- 2 Embroidered Children's Dresses, with Bloomers, 4-year size; regular price \$7.00. Now **\$3.00**
- 1 Embroidered Dress for an infant; regular price \$10.00. Now **\$4.00**
- 14 Embroidered Dresses for children 1 to 6 years, 1 of a kind; regular prices \$5 to \$9. Now **\$2 to \$5**
- 6 Embroidered Rompers, 1 to 4-year sizes; regular prices \$4.50 to \$6.00. Now **\$1.50 to \$2.50**
- 1 Embroidered Baby Pillow; regular price \$5.50. Now **\$3**
- 1 Embroidered 9-Piece Lunch Set; regular price \$12.00. Now **\$4.00**
- 1 Embroidered 36-Inch Square; regular price \$6.50. Now **\$1.50**
- 1 Embroidered Jewel Cloth Scarf; regular price \$15.00. Now **\$4.00**
- 2 Embroidered Dolls; regular price \$5. Now **\$2.00**
- 4 Embroidered Pillows; regular prices \$6.50 to \$9.00. Now **\$3.00**

STREET FLOOR



Hats for
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Advance Showing of
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Satins, Gros de Londres and Hair Cloth are the predominating materials. In unique combinations and in colors to harmonize.

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\$4.50 to \$10.00

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12 BOYS' PATRICK OVERCOATS

Sizes 12 to 15. Sold up to \$45.

Now **\$19.50**

PATRICK MACKINAW

Men's—Were \$18.00.

Now **\$13.50**

Boys'—Were \$15.00.

Now **\$11.25**

WOMEN'S FUR LINED AND FUR TRIMMED COATS

Discontinued and Only a Few Left. Sold Up to \$100.00.

\$49.50

The Fur Collar Is Worth Nearly That.

A FEW MEN'S LONG LEATHER REVERSIBLE COATS

For Out-of-Doors Work.

\$39.50

\$9.75, \$12, \$18, \$20

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At **25%** Reduction

Great for Sports Wear and Auto Drivers.

\$25, \$30, \$35, \$40 LIGHT WEIGHT OVERCOATS

(They Will Be Higher in the Spring)

At **25%** Reduction

Stocktaking is over—we are ready for Big Business Once more. In the face of RISING Prices in the Clothing Market, we offer these Reductions to stimulate trade in a dull month. No clothes bought in for this Sale. Everything from Our Stock.

Just 31 Suits

One of a Pattern—Left From Various Purchases.

Sold at \$35, \$40 up to \$50. Come Early.

Sizes 35, 37, 38.

\$19.50

— NO ALTERATIONS —

— AND ALSO —

Just 20 Overcoats

Right From Stock—But Some Are Discontinued.

Sold at \$35, \$40, \$42, \$45, \$57.

TO CLEAN THEM UP

25%

— REDUCTION —

10% Off

ON ALL OUR OTHER SUITS
ON ALL OUR OTHER OVERCOATS

JUST A STIMULANT TO BUSINESS

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ATTRACTIVE MUSICAL PROGRAM ARRANGED

An attractive musical program has been arranged in connection with the annual luncheon of St. John's hospital, which is to be conducted next Saturday under the auspices of the Ladies of Charity. Among the many features in this respect will be several musical selections by Mrs. William H. Reiser of New York, contralto soloist and organist. Other entertainers will include Hovey's Banjo and Mandolin orchestra and a group of well known local singers. The program has been arranged by Mrs. John M. Murphy and reads as follows:

Hovey's Mandolin and Banjo Club—March from "Aida," (Verdi); "Berceuse" from Jocelyn (Godard); popular songs, "Three O'Clock in the Morning," (Robledo); "Marches" Lullaby, (Mullane); and "Swanee River Moon," (Clarke); overture, "Santanello," (Huggs).

Duet, Ed Shattery and Charles F. Hayes in "Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Sherry," solo, selected, Joseph M. Kelly; recitations, William M. Jones, solo, selected, A. A. McCarthy; solo, selected, John Hartnett; solo, "For You Alone," Fred L. Cummings; solo, "You Remind Me of My Mother," and "Machussee March," Raymond Kelley. Mrs. William H. Reiser of New York, contralto soloist.

The accompanists will be Miss Marion Ryan and Miss Katherine Conner. The committees are as follows: Reception committee—Miss Rose A. Dowd, Mrs. William P. Lawler, Mrs. P. P. Sullivan, Miss M. Alice Cox, Dr. Emma Young Slaughter, Mrs. Rose Gilbride, Mrs. James Gookin, Mrs. Elizabeth Kerwin, Mrs. George A. Leach, Mrs. James H. Flood, Mrs. James C. Loftus, Miss Fannie Maxwell, Mrs. John M. Murphy, Mrs. Gerald Cahill, Mrs. J. R. O'Connor, Mrs. Henry L. Bourke, Mrs. John T. Donehue, Mrs. Isabel McQuade, Mrs. Charles Holmes.

Hospitality committee—Mrs. Elizabeth Kerwin, chairman; Mrs. William P. Lawler, Mrs. James Gookin, Mrs. P. P. Sullivan, Mrs. J. R. O'Connor, Mrs. J. F. Loughran, Miss Fannie Maxwell, Mrs. C. McSorley, Mrs. John Denny, Mrs. James A. Murphy, Mrs. R. H. Clifford, Mrs. M. H. Reidy, Mrs. Gerald Cahill, Miss Elizabeth Clark, Mrs. Rose A. Gilbride, Mrs. John Conner, Mrs. James H. Flood, Mrs. J. H. Murphy, Mrs. Alice Donehue, Miss Jessie Kerwin.

Cake table—Mrs. Dennis J. Conner, chairman; Mrs. J. B. O'Connor, Mrs. P. L. Scannell, Mrs. H. L. Bourke, Mrs. R. C. Donoghue, Mrs. J. W. Sharkey, Mrs. M. J. Sharkey, Mrs. G. A. Leach, Mrs. J. C. Loftus, Mrs. J. A. Conner.

Girls from the Lowell High school regiment will be the ushers and are as follows:

First Maj. Sarah O'Brien, Second Maj. Margaret Flynn, Third Maj. Eleanor MacBryne, Fourth Maj. Juanita Johnston.

Capt. Mary Clancy, Catherine Harrington, Miriam Lannan, Gladys Harrington, Margaret Holgate, Clara Bennett, Mary Geary, Ernestine Ladd, Adeline Victoria Rossetti, Catherine Grace, Alice Buchner.

Leuts. Elizabeth Johnson, Helen Dow, Catherine Connors, Irene Gilet, Irene Guilmond, Rachel Doherty, Arpenig DerManuelian, Elizabeth Smith.

MAKING READY FOR THE BIG OPENING

Workmen are laboring night and day to get the finishing touches on Lowell's newest and most beautiful playhouse, the Merchants Square theatre, for its formal opening next Monday evening.

When the doors once more swing open the theatre-going public of this city will have a playhouse with-

MRS. HATTIE WICKATON, recently of Lowell, Mass., resident, whose remarkable recovery is attributed entirely to Tanlac.



"Tanlac has built me up to better health than I had any hope of ever enjoying again," recently said Mrs. Hattie Wickaton, residing at 7 Strong's court, Williamstown, Conn. "For ten years I had suffered from indigestion and many of the ill that go along with it. Then came a great sorrow and being already terribly nervous and run-down, I got worse until I was almost in despair. "Since taking Tanlac I am a new and different person. I eat anything I want, my nerves are perfectly calm, and I sleep like a child every night. Words can't express my gratitude to Tanlac."

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out a rival in New England. Every art and device known to modern theatre designing has been employed in the reconstruction of the popular theatre. From its long, sweeping balcony with its gradual rise to the new setting of the stage, the theatre has every appointment that will add to the pleasure and comfort of the patron.

Glenn Swanson in "The Impossible Mrs. Belton," and Peter B. Kyne's noted story, "The Pride of Patience," will be the features for the reopening program.

POLICE FAIL TO LOCATE CLIFFORD

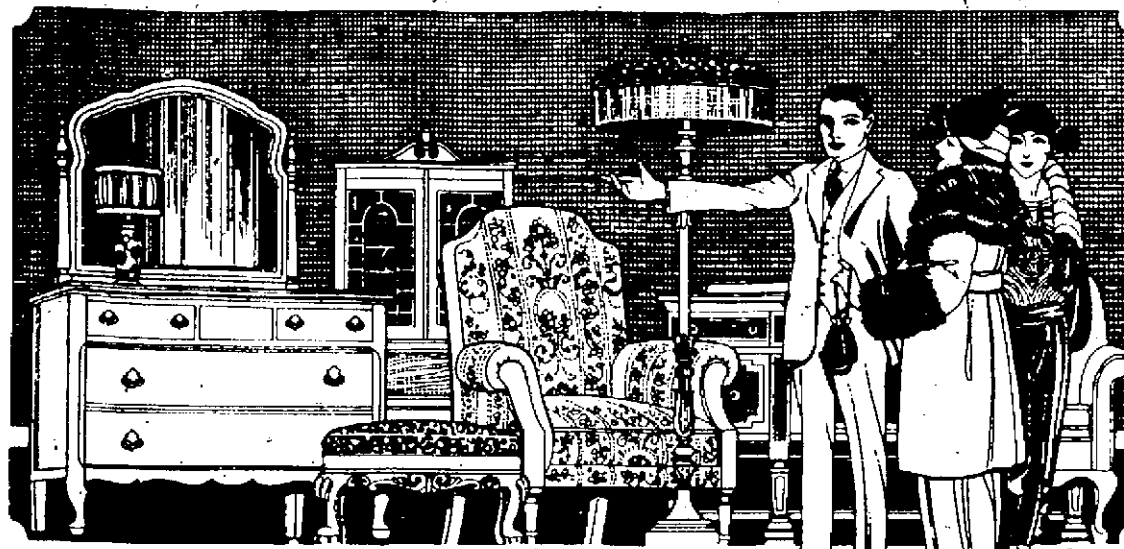
A telegram received at police headquarters last night relative to the whereabouts of a "Mr. Clifford," supposed to reside in this city, failed to reveal any such person, according to an investigation conducted here. The man is wanted in connection with the disposition of the body of James O'Brien, who died in the metropolis recently.

The telegram read as follows: "Notify Mr. Clifford, 56 Church street, James O'Brien dead here. Advise disposition. Chief Inspector Ladd."

There is no such number as 56 Church street in this city and the identity of the man "Clifford" remains a mystery.

Atherton's Furniture SALE NOW GOING ON

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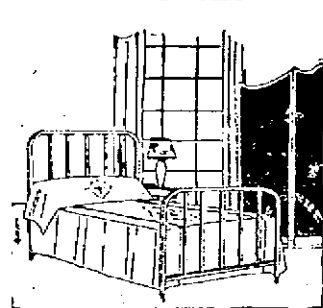


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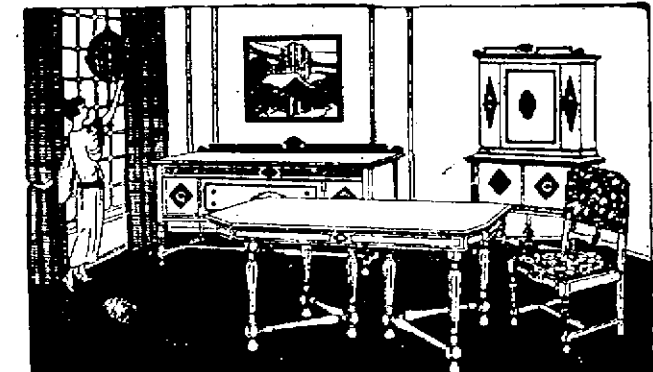
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You Are Invited to Come In and Compare Our Prices.

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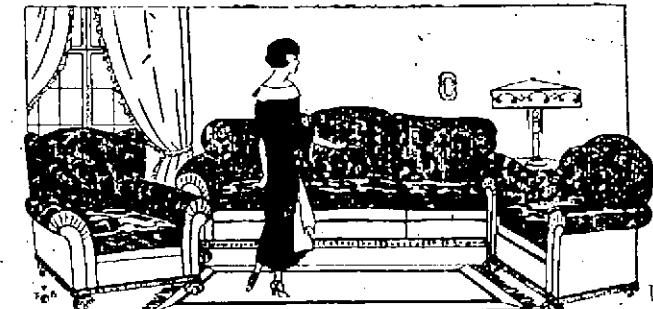


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- \$11.00 National Springs.....\$7.98
- \$5.50 National Springs.....\$5.98
- \$7.50 National Springs.....\$4.98
- \$27.50 Cotton Felt Mattress.....\$18.90
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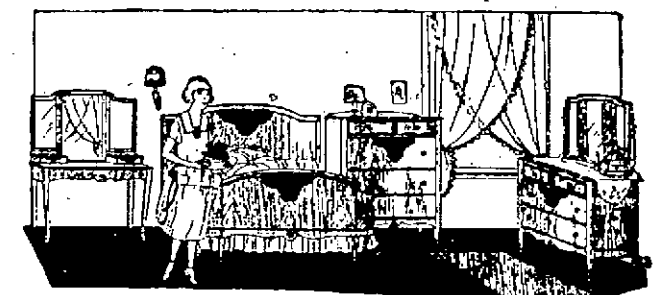
\$195 American Walnut Dining-room Suite, 8 pieces, consisting of buffet, oblong table, china cabinet, server, 4 chairs, Queen Anne style.....\$139

\$475 American Walnut Dining-room Suite, 10 pieces, consisting of 54 in. buffet, oblong table, china cabinet, server and six chairs.....\$349



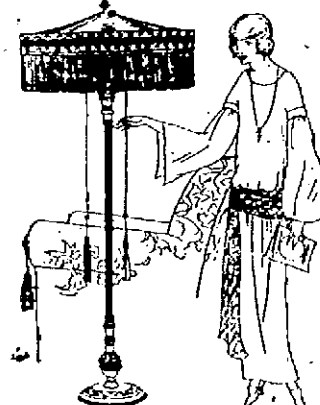
\$195.00 Velour Parlor Suites of 3 pieces—Divan, rocker and chair, cane frame. Complete.....\$149

\$650 Overstuffed Brown Plush Suites, divan, rocker and chair, best of quality thru-out. Spectral.....\$495



\$500 Mahogany Chamber Suites, large dresser, chiffonier, vanity dresser and bed.....\$375

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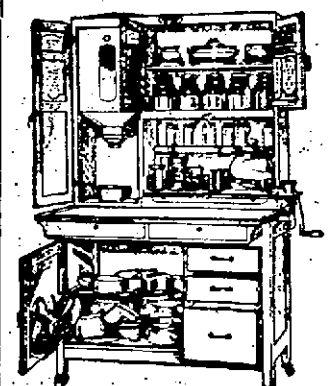


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- \$30.00 Quartered Oak Tables.....\$19.95
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- \$6.50 Oak Dining Chairs, upholstered seats.....\$4.89
- Others up to.....\$15.00
- \$5.50 American Walnut Dining Chairs.....\$5.98
- Odd Oak Walnut and Mahogany Serving Tables, \$12.90 to \$32
- China Cabinets.....\$22.50 to \$65



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BEEF	LAMB	POULTRY
Sirloin Roast, no bone, lb. 33c	Short Legs, lb. 33c	Small Chickens, lb. 23c
Top and Bottom Round Roast, no bone, lb. 18c	Forequarters, lb. 24c	4 1/2 lb. Chickens, lb. 39c
Rib Roasts, lb. 18c, 22c	Boned and rolled if desired 28c	4 lb. Fowl, lb. 28c
Chuck Roast, lb. 10c	Pump Loins, lb. 40c	Large Fatted Fowl, lb. 43c
	Rib Chops, lb. 48c	Cut-up Chicken, lb. 35c
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Rib Roast of Fresh Pork, lb. 14c

Fresh Boston Pork Shoulders, any size, 12 1/2c

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STEAKS	EXTRA VALUE	CORNER BEEF
All Round, lb. 29c	Fig Bars, with real figs, 2 lbs. for 25c	Fancy Brisket, lb. 14c, 18c
Club Sirloin, lb. 20c	Large Florida Oranges, doz. 43c	Thick Rib, lb. 14c
Fresh Ground Hamburg, 3 lbs. for 29c	Fresh Beef Liver, lb. 8c	Sticker Pieces, lb. 11c
		Thin Rib Roll, lb. 12c
		Bacon, by piece, lb. 22c

Best Maine Potatoes, 15-lb. Pk. 23c

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Protest Censors' Action on Picture

LONDON, Jan. 12.—A storm of protest has resulted from the action of the London board of censors in cutting from the picture play "Oliver Twist" the scene in which Fagin instructs Oliver in the art of pocketpicking. The censors defend their action by asserting that the scene might prove instructive. Members of the Dickens Fellowship, G. K. Chesterton and several societies and civil organizations have commented adversely on the board action.

Drug Peddlers Arrested at Coblenz

COBLENZ, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Two drug peddlers, believed to be members of a gang operating here, have been arrested by operatives of the American department of criminal investigation. The agents said that they found drugs valued at six million marks in the possession of the men, who are alleged to have arrived here from Crefeld late yesterday upon hearing that the American soldiers were soon to depart.

American Found Dead in Berlin, Germany

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—Robert Nowak, an American citizen, was found dead in his lodgings this morning. The police believe him to have been a victim of foul play. Nowak, it is said, was an American buyer who arrived in Berlin several days ago. He was born in Vienna.

Expect Troops to Besiege Canton

HONG KONG, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—In expectation that the troops of Sun Yat-sen, former president of the South China republic soon would besiege Canton, Chen Chih-Yu, civil governor of the southern capital, came to Hong Kong with his family and a number of city officials seeking protection under the British flag.

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EX-MAYOR DEFENDS HIS ADMINISTRATION

Former Mayor George H. Brown (taken issue with City Solicitor Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan relative to the statements alleged to have been made the latter in an address before the Lowell Rotary club last Tuesday in which he was credited with saying that this year's government will have to meet a deficit of approximately \$400,000.

Mr. Brown says no such condition of financial affairs exists and that the government of 1923 begins its work with a very substantial surplus, rather than with the burden of a deficit. He admits there will be unpaid bills amounting to about \$45,000, but explains them by saying certain department heads "loaded up" with material and supplies during the last days of 1922.

The former mayor states there will be a surplus when the auditor completes his task of balancing accounts and says his administration closed the year in a healthy financial condition. He adds that this year's government faces lower expenditures than last year when he took office in January of 1922.

AMUSEMENT NOTES**B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE**

"The Love Game" is played very well at the B. F. Keith theatre this week by Harry Hayden & Co. It is an old game, but not always it is played as carefully as does Hayden give it. His characterization of the leading part is a very good piece of work. You like the long and the short of it. Then you will appreciate Kellam and O'Dare in their turn of many different things. The perfect ones are Horace Wright and Irene Dietrich, who give one of the best acts of its kind ever seen here. Joe Roberts, master banjoist, is another performer of top class merit. Old-timers who have the flash of their earlier days and who can give pointers to many of the youngsters now are Whalen & McShane. The Four Phillips are extraordinary equilibrista, while the Musical Revellies give novelties.

RIALTO THEATRE

In the complete change of program at the Rialto theatre beginning this afternoon the feature has Wanda Hanley in "The Love Charm." Franklin Farnum in "Gun Shy" is the second feature on the same program, and the others have Elmo Lincoln in "The Adventures of Tarzan," also a Harold Lloyd comedy and the Rialto News-Review.

THE STRAND

In "Nero," the super-special being presented at the Strand during the week, are enacted scenes which furnished inspiration to writers and painters for hundreds of years. Christianity was in its infancy, civilization was just dawning. On the throne of the Caesars there sat a man who embodied every evil passion and every vice of luxury and lust ruled supreme; yet there were a few intrepid souls who dared defy the will of the cruellest tyrant that the world had ever known. Representing as it does, the last word in motion picture production, "Nero" is by far the greatest picture that has been presented to motion picture patrons of the world. Don't miss it.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

A very successful rehearsal of the Lowell Orchestral society was held last evening and there was a large attendance in spite of the inclement weather. Mr. Schiller, the musical director, promises the people of Lowell something very good in the form of a concert in the very near future.

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200 Dresses Worth up to \$22.50 **\$6.90**

Velvets, Silks, Poiret Twills, Tricotines, etc.

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All our \$2 Waists at
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\$3 Slip-On Sweaters
\$1.89

A Timely Sale of Skirts. Regular
\$5 to \$10 values,
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Hats worth \$4 to \$5. Sale
Prices **98c, \$1.98**

Chalifoux's January Clearance Sale

Beautiful DRESSES

We have just received a lot of Women's and Misses' Dresses in Taffeta, Georgette and Flat Crepe, Poirer Twill, Satin Charmeuse and Velvet, in all designs for advance Spring styles. All \$20 and \$25 values.

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Second Floor



Stylish Stout DRESSES

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A Wonderful Selection of New Spring Hats—In all the new shades and materials. January Clearance Sale Price... **\$2.95**

Bright New Straw and Silk Combinations—Trimmed with flowers or embroidered. January Clearance Sale Price... **\$5.00**

Black Haircloth and Silk Combinations—A fine selection. January Clearance Sale Price... **\$5.00**

Straw and Silk Combinations—Haircloth and silk embroidered. January Clearance Sale Price... **\$2.95**

Haircloth, Rib Silk and Straw, Changeable Silk and Straw, also Silk and Timbo Straw Combinations. Jan. Clearance Sale... **\$5**

SECOND FLOOR

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Silk Lined. Bolivia Cloth and Other Soft Materials.

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TOILET GOODS

Street Floor

Lotus Face Powder, twelve shades, White, Flesh, Rose, Henna, Olive, Hazel, Rachel, Croco, Deep Rachel, Indian Brown, Geisha and Lavender, for evening wear... **\$1.25**
Sample sizes of above in all shades... **25c**
"Health Glow" Waterproof Rouge... **75c**
"Tendresse" Cold Cream Face Powder... **75c**
Liquid Lashlux, brown and black... **75c**
Mineralava Clay Pack, **\$2.00**; Mineralava Face Finish, **\$1.50**.
Special for Saturday only, Clay Pack and Face Finish, **\$2.69**

Metal Hot Water Bottles, guaranteed one year; **\$1.50** value. Clearance Sale Price... **\$1.00**
Plaza Double Compact Powder and Rouge... **\$1.50**
Karens Double Compact Powder and Rouge... **\$1.75**
Du Barry Twin Compact Gold Filled Case, guaranteed five years... **\$2.50—Refill 75c**

Neckwear and Handkerchiefs

Street Floor

Bandanna Kerchiefs of Paisley silk, in all styles; the very latest, each... **59c to \$3.50**
Silver and Gold Metal Collars, on black net, all widths, **\$1.00 to \$3.98**
Women's Colored Linen Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs, in all colors, each... **59c to \$1.00**
Men's White Silk Handkerchiefs, plain and colored borders, each... **50c to \$1.50**
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Regular \$6.49 All Silk Clifton Velvet, 40 in. wide, exquisitely rich texture, silky finish, especially adaptable for new draped styles, in dark brown and a rich jet black. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$4.98**
Regular \$1.97 Dress Satins—36 in. wide, full range of street and evening shades. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.29**
Regular \$1.29 Storm Serge—All wool, 54 in. wide, sponged and shrunk, in black, dark brown, navy, gray and copen blue. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **89c**
Regular \$1.89 Satin Charmeuse—40 in. wide, nice lustrous finish, in a rich jet black only. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.39**
Regular \$2.67 All Silk Satin Charmeuse—40 in. wide, high lustrous finish, about 35 beautiful street and evening shades to choose from. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.75**
Regular \$2.27 Tweed Sailing, all wool, 56 in. wide, thoroughly sponged and shrunk, about 20 beautiful light and dark mixtures to choose from. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.39**
Regular 19c Percales—32 in. wide, a large assortment of pretty patterns on light and medium grounds. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **12½c**
Regular 39c Dress Ginghams, 32 in. wide, a good assortment of checks, plaids and stripes. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **19c**

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Street Floor

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Heavy Bath Towels—Pure bleach, extra large size, all first quality, very absorbent. Clearance Sale Price, each... **22c**
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Gloves

Street Floor

Ladies' Washable Kid Gloves, one-clasp, gray, beaver or tan, all sizes; value \$3.00 pair. Clearance Sale Price, pair... **\$1.00**
Ladies' Slip-on and Strap Wrist Gloves, broken sizes, tan, beaver, brown and gray; values from \$1.75 to \$3.00. Clearance Sale Price, pair... **\$1.25**
Ladies' Chamois Suede Gloves, two-clasp, a few strap wrist, gray, mode and white, broken sizes; values from 98c to \$1.25 pair. Clearance Sale Price, pair... **59c**
Children's All Wool Gloves, gray, brown, navy and white; values 39c and 59c pair. Clearance Sale Price, pair 10c

Art Goods

Street Floor

Stamped Linen Guest Towels—Hemstitched for crocheted edges and hemstitched hems. Clearance Sale Price... **39c each, or 3 for \$1.00**
Stamped Baby Bibs and Tray Cloths—Regular price 59c. Clearance Sale Price... **39c**
Stamped Turkish Towels—Regular price 59c. Clearance Sale Price... **2 for \$1.00**
Tie Silk—Regular price 69c. Clearance Sale Price... **55c spool, 2 spools for \$1.00**

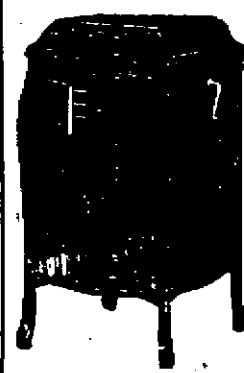
Hosiery

Street Floor

Silk and Wool Hose, plain and drop stitch, full fashioned and seamed back. Regular \$1.95 value. Clearance Sale Price 89c
Wool Sport Hose—Heather mixtures. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 values. Clearance Sale Price 65c
Fibre Silk Hose—Fashioned back. Lace clocks, black and cordovan. Regular \$1.00 values. Clearance Sale Price... **49c**
Children's Cotton Lisle Hose, black and a few cordovan. Regular 29c value. Clearance Sale Price... **17c**
All Wool Sport Sox, fancy turned cuff. Regular \$1.00 value. Clearance Sale Price... **95c**

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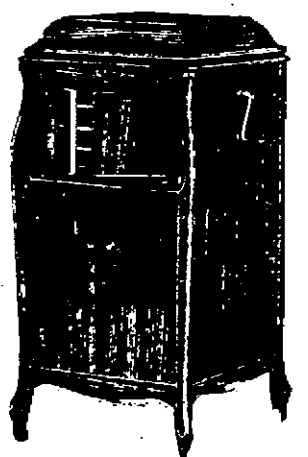


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Fringed Tuscan Curtain Panels, each... **\$2.75**
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PHENOM AT NINE WEEKS

Nine weeks old, weighing 12 pounds, and as well built as a normal two-year-old child. That is the record of little Norma Loeb, above, according to her father, Dr. Carl Loeb of Chicago. Norma has been sitting up for a month and can walk with a little assistance. Dr. Loeb has trained her to this.

WILL HOLD ANNUAL ALUMNI NIGHT

St. Patrick's Boys' school will hold its annual alumni night at the school hall on Suffolk street tonight. The committee in charge of the event is doing all in its power to make the affair better than it has been in the past, and, judging by the menu, which will be served at 8 o'clock, and the program of sports and the entertainment that is to follow, all who attend will be well satisfied.

The speaker of the evening will be James C. Kelly, recently candidate for the office of district attorney. The other speakers of the evening have not been announced.

The committee in charge consists of the following alumni: Eugene Fitzgerald, chairman; Daniel Cunningham, John Flannery, Paul Dineen, Harold Sullivan, Henry Doran, John Golden, William Walsh, James Malloy, Timothy O'Sullivan, Edward Hines, Henry Connolly, Martin Gilligan, Dr. Baxley, Dr. John Walsh, John J. Queenan, Francis O'Loughlin, John Miskell, William McCann, Patrick Winn, John McDermott, William Twohey and Frank R. McNabb.

INSURANCE MEN ELECT OFFICERS

At the meeting of the Lowell Life Underwriters association yesterday in the Fairbank building the following list of officers was unanimously elected: President, John McFadden, assistant superintendent for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Lowell; vice president, John O'Brien, agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company; secretary and treasurer, M. J. Brady, agent for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance company.

The executive committee consists of the officers and John J. Riley, assistant superintendent for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance company, and Joseph Miller, agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company.

DEMY HALL FOR KLAN MEETING

ALBANY, Ga., Jan. 12 (By the Associated Press).—Use of the municipal auditorium for a public meeting announced by the Ku Klux Klan, an official spokesman of the K.K.K. for next Friday night, was denied by the mayor and council yesterday. The meeting was to be addressed by Col. William Joseph Simmons of Atlanta, emperor of the "Invisible empire."

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT

The annual report of the water department was submitted to the board of public service at a meeting held yesterday by Supt. Robert Gardner and accepted as a report of progress.

The department laid 10,106 feet of pipe during the year, 10,106 feet of extensions for low service, 10,106 feet of high service and 10,106 feet of galvanized pipe. In all 345 new services were put in. The department changed 303 services, repaired 619 leaks in cellars and attached 303 new cellar cocks. Three hundred and six new meters were set during the year, 20 meters changed, 71 condemned, 64 replaced, 26 private meters sold and four temporary meters set. More than 1000 meters were taken out for repairs.

Twenty-five new hydrants were set during the year and 19 hydrants changed. The department installed 43 new stop gates and four new fire services.

During the month of July a new union horizontal relative dry vacuum air pump, made by the Hayes Pump & Machinery Co., was installed at the Boulevard station at a cost of \$1825. For furnishing and installing material necessary to erect and connect this pump.

During the year of wells were renewed and equipped with brass strainers. The old wells gave 10 gallons per minute and the new wells 40 gallons per minute.

In November the Allis-Chalmers pump at the West Sixth street station was repaired at a cost of \$420. While the street department was smoothing paving various streets during the year the water department repaired 144 services together with a

large number of hydrants and gate boxes on the same streets.

The McMillan-Marshall Co. of Boston asked the board for an extension of time on its contract to erect a new bridge over the railroad tracks at Lumber street starting that delayed steel shipments, unforeseen, have proved a great handicap. The contract specified the bridge would be completed Dec. 31, 1922. The board will discuss the matter in conference prior to the next meeting. Work on the bridge to date entitles the contracting company to \$20,521.17, according to a detailed report rendered through Eny, Spofford & Thorndike, consulting engineers.

The board received a communication from the Municipal Employees' union, expressing appreciation of the board's efforts to keep the wage scale for city laborers at the present standard.

The board will adopt a new system of identifying street department workers by means of tags, 1500 of which will be printed at a cost of \$30.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The special services in St. Paul's M. P. church continue with good attendance. Last night in his third appearance, Rev. Ernest H. Tippet of Boston spoke upon "The Greatest City in the World." Interest in the course is steadily increasing with a greater well equipped for the work at hand.

The pastor prefaced his remarks last evening by reading from the Book of Revelations, the vision of the Holy City of Jerusalem described by St. John, and interpreted the meanings of the visions of heavenly conditions coming down to earth. The speaker said that religion is practiced "with too much individuality at the present time." He predicted a better understanding among nations and all peoples of the world before long. Mrs. Charles G. Martin sang and Howard Large played organ selections.

CLASS IN INTERIOR HOME DECORATING

Interior home decorating is to be taught in a class at the Girls' City club, beginning tonight at 7:15. The instructor will come from the division of university extension of the state department of education. Miss Alice E. Sullivan, secretary of the local club, is responsible for the installation of this



Drink and Enjoy

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LIPTON'S TEA

Largest Sale in the World

Instructive program. A large number of girls have enrolled for the work. Six lessons will be given.

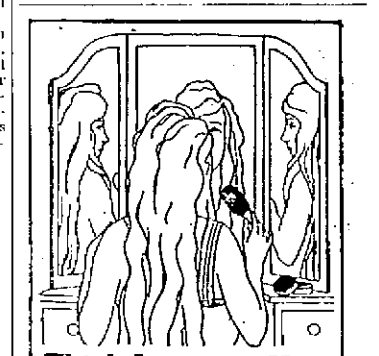
Tonight, the first lesson study, will be devoted to color and planning of color schemes. Later subjects to be followed will be the treatment of woodwork and walls, floors and floor coverings, curtains, hangings and porings, furniture and furniture coverings, lighting fixtures, pictures, lamp covers, doilies, sofa pillows and bed covers. All of these various things will be studied with reference to their suitability, durability, cleanliness and resulting artistic effects.

The lessons will be conducted each Friday evening, beginning tonight, and each lesson will last an hour and three-quarters. The only charges for the instruction period will be for lesson pamphlets, materials and the traveling expenses of the instructor. This

will necessitate a charge of \$2 each for the lesson series.

AMERICAN-IRISH HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The principal business to be transacted at next Sunday's meeting of the American Irish Historical Society in Memorial hall, will be the annual election of officers. The meeting will start at 2:30 o'clock with President Dr. Michael Tighe in the chair.



Thick Lustrous Hair Kept So By Cuticura

At night touch spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with a suds of Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse with tepid water. Keep your scalp clean and healthy and your hair will be luxuriant.

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HIS WHITE ELEPHANT DIED WITH HIM!

We don't promise you something for nothing (which you never get.) We don't claim to be in business for charitable purposes. We don't sell damaged goods, or job lot merchandise at any price—you always get the newest in style—best in quality at lower prices here. We quote no exaggerated markdowns—no hard luck stories—but we do give you the best values in Lowell. That's why the Boston Ladies' Outfitters is always busy. Friday and Saturday will be great days here.

Silk and Cloth DRESSES

Pretty styles that are new and different. Every style feature. Materials are Canton Crepe, Taffeta, Charmeuse, Lace, Poiret Twill, Camille. All the new shades. All sizes. Values that will cause a sensation.

\$14.75

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Models that are designed by leaders of fashion—styles for every occasion in finest new silk materials. All the new shades. All sizes, including stylish stouts.

\$18.50 and \$25

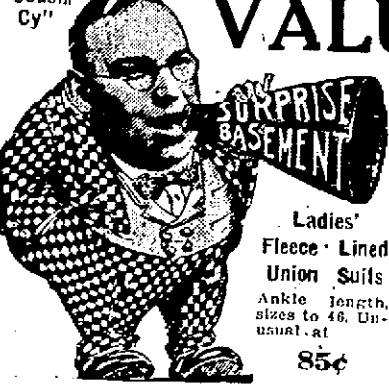
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Every pair perfect. All wool stockings, silk and wool stockings, ribbed and dropstitch effects. Silk stockings, fashioned ankle, double heels and toes. All colors, all sizes.

Special, while they last **75c**

Many Other Values in This Busy Department



49 LADIES' BEACON BLANKET BATHROBES

Silk ribbon trimmed, pretty floral designs.

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Finest soft pile fabrics. Verzella, Brytonia, Marzella. Wonderful collars and cuffs of Beaver, Squirrel, Lynx, Platinum Wolf and Fox. Handsome Canton crepe lining. Every new fashionable creation. All the wanted shades. Sizes for all. A remarkable sale at

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New coats in fine Bolivia and fine soft pile fabrics. Large fur collars of Raccoon, Nutria and Opossum. Silk lined. All the wanted shades. All sizes. A sale without equal. They are unusual at

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Just 63 stylish coats in Wool Velour, Double-Face Cloths and Plaid-Backs. Many with fur collars. Silk lined, all sizes. They're wonderful, you'll say.

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Styles that you'll like. Materials are Canton Crepe, Satin, Taffeta, Velvet, Poiret Twill. Effectively trimmed. All colors. All sizes to 44. Materials alone cost more.

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Children's Fine Ribbed School Stockings—Black and brown, all sizes. **10c**

87 Cardigan Sleeveless Jackets—Black, in all sizes. **99c**



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MEN'S SHOE THE PACER



OKLAHOMA'S IDEA OF BEAUTY

Geraldine Wright was one of the three winners in a beauty contest at Oklahoma City, Okla. She'll get a free trip to Hollywood to see how they make movies.

"SHEPHERD" WARNS THE WALL STREET LAMBS

By EDWARD THURBY
NEA Service Staff Writer
NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—America spent \$400,000,000 for fake stocks last year.

"This is the estimate of Charles M. Minton, the 'shepherd of Wall Street.' He is head of the Minton Brothers' Investigating Bureau and his job is to

every big city, and in many small ones, he says. He declares he can name at least 150 crooked houses in New York.

Men Most Guilty
"Men are bigger suckers than women," said Minton. "More of them fall. I mean. Women are more conservative—but when they fall they fall harder. I know one who just lost \$50,000 in a fake stock deal."

"Oil stocks used to be the favorite medium for gyp artists. Next came mining stocks. Those are pretty well played out now. New schemes are being hatched all the time. Radio is now being used to trap suckers."

"There seems to be as many clever crooks doing business as ever. It is

DON'TS FOR SUCKERS

Charles M. Minton, "shepherd of Wall Street," offers this advice to people with money to invest:

- Don't expect to get rich overnight.
- Don't listen to promises of quick dividends.
- Don't buy stock from a salesman without investigating.
- Don't speculate with a broker you aren't sure is reputable.
- Don't think you know it all; ask for advice before you get skinned.

hard to get the goods on bucket shops—the crooked brokers who accept orders and never execute them. They put your orders on their cuffs—and pocket the money.

"Most suckers are fleeced by gyp houses selling handsome stock certificates that mean nothing. They fit up rich looking offices and if they're exposed they get a new sign painted and move to another office or another city."

"Another class of gyp artists work in what is called a 'holer room' or 'high pressure room'—with just a telephone and a telephone directory. They have an amazing skill at picking names out of the book, giving a swift, sugary canvass over the wire—and actually hooking cash out of at least one sucker out of every five they call. Such a crook is known as a 'dynamiter.' His first cousin is called a 're-loader'—who loads another block of stock on to a sucker in the very face

of the fact that no dividends have been paid.

Names Sell For Cent a Piece

"Sucker lists are used by many crook salesmen. You can go to half a dozen places in Wall Street and buy sucker lists for a cent or two cents a name, depending on the class of stock you want to unload. Every time a person answers a doubtful ad his name gets into a sucker list—and the name is sold and resold indefinitely."

Minton has been in Wall Street 43 years and he thinks the public is getting more gullible every day.

TEACHER SWAPS BAG WITH BOOTLEGGER

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 12.—Miss Mabel R. Wood, East Providence, a teacher in the public schools of this city, is a firm believer in the 18th amendment. But yesterday one of the vagaries of hurriedly transferring from one car line to another caused her to "swap" Boston bags with a bootlegger, and thus innocently enough, become party to the transportation of liquor. These are the circumstances that led

her to carry to her schoolroom a bottle of "white mule" and a revolver. Her next act, of course, was to report the matter to the police, who have little hope that the man sitting next to Miss Wood on the street car will do the same. Miss Wood and the police do hope, however, that the man will be courteous enough at least to mail her Boston bag, which contains examination papers of her pupils, a pair of eyeglasses and a \$10 bill, to her home.

LAWRENCE BOY KILLED BY TRAIN

LAWRENCE, Jan. 12.—Michael Linehan, a boy of four years old, was struck by a train and instantly killed last night while crossing the Boston & Maine tracks near the North station here.

The boy and his mother, who was leading a younger child on a sled, attempted to get over the tracks on a grade crossing just as a Boston bound train, running late, reached that point. The mother and younger child were unhurt.

Mrs. Daniel Linehan, the mother, said the gates at the crossing were up at the time. The gate tender said they were down and that the woman and boy went under them.

AYER DOCTORS USE SNOW SLED

AYER, Jan. 12.—Dr. Bertrand H. Hopkins and his associate in practice, Dr. Edward A. Adams, have removed their snow sleds from the kit of tools carried on their motor trips and now challenge winter to do its worst. On Wednesday they put into commission their new motor sled which was delivered the previous evening from Ossipee, N. H., coming overland under its own power.

The new snow car is a Ford chassis carrying runners on the front axle and a set of four wheels with the familiar extensible tractor equipment on the rear. On trial the machine made 15 to 20 miles an hour and travelled over snow too deep for teams. With the new machine the doctors expect to be able to make their professional trips under any conditions of weather or travel.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



THE MAJOR AND DR. CONNER EXPLAIN

U. S. SOLDIERS CANNOT BRING GERMAN WIVES OWNERS GUILTY OF HAVING COLD FLATS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The German girls who have married enlisted men in the American Rhine army must get to the United States as best they can.

While the practice in the army has been to transport the dependents of enlisted men on army vessels and charge only for subsistence, when the St. Mihiel sailed from Antwerp, January 21, there will be no space on board for women and children.

Consequently enlisted men who have married in Germany must find some other means of transportation. Welfare organizations presumably will lend a helping hand. Many enlisted men have returned in the past with German wives and have been assisted on this side by the American Red Cross.

Secretary of War Weeks said yesterday that there was nothing that he could do to assist the German wives of American troops in this connection, since the St. Mihiel will be crowded as it is, having been constructed with accommodations for 900 enlisted men and approximately 10 cubic passengers. Some of the commissioned officers must return on another vessel at government expense, but the law does not permit the war department to make such provisions for the wives of enlisted men except for the three highest ratings among the non-commissioned officers. "The law permits an enlisted man to buy his discharge un-

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Boston courts yesterday found two landlords guilty of failing to supply their tenants with heat.

Judge Murray of the municipal court fined Jacob Tappin \$100 for failing to keep warm his dwellings at 37-39 Falmouth street, Rock Bay. Judge Hayden of the Roxbury court found Joseph B. Greene of Cambridge guilty on five counts of neglect of his building at 13-16 Crawford street, Roxbury, but continued the case for sentence, giving Mr. Greene until last night to shovel off the sidewalk, and until Jan. 20 to supply new furnace grates.

Judge Hayden also ordered Police Officer Norton to report on the conditions in the house next Saturday, and pointed out to Greene that the offense carries with it a maximum sentence of six months in the house of correction. If Greene did not do as he was told the judge promised to deal with him "properly."

der certain conditions and this can be done by married men who desire to remain in Germany.

REFUSES AGAIN
A wide ruffie finishes one of the new frocks of printed silk, and makes an unusual, daring line about the foot.

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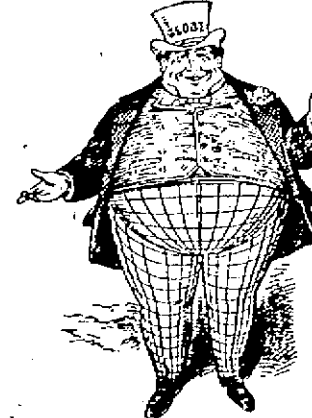


CHARLES M. MINTON

keep track of crooked brokers and stock gamblers for the big exchanges. "The average American with a little money laid by is the biggest sucker in the world," says Minton. "Why? Easy—because they won't heed warnings. They get skinned—then they holler, and when it's too late they listen to advice."

Stock swindles are being operated in

THE BEST IN NEW ENGLAND THE BOSTON GLOBE Sports



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Mark-Down Sale

You'll find the most extraordinary clothing values—all of high quality and entirely new this season—all guaranteed to give complete satisfaction—all plainly marked at extreme and authentic reductions.

Because we never carry clothing from one season to another!

Any man who needs clothes, can come here now and choose from the finest of guaranteed clothing at reductions which are seldom named on this class of merchandise.

This is not a new number in a 52 sales-a-year program, but a straight-forward half-yearly complete clearance. The reductions are exactly as indicated, and we are just as anxious to give you new goods in case of dissatisfaction, as if you paid the full price.

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Your Choice of Our \$23.50

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SUITS AND OVERCOATS

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Made-to-Order \$30.00—\$35.00

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SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Berlin announces that national strike of one hour affecting all workers, will be called in Germany next Monday as a protest against Ruhr occupation.

Poincaré, in French senate repudiates any heritage from warlike ancestors and declares presence of French in the Ruhr is essentially a guarantee of peace.

Turks at Lausanne win in their insistence that Christian inhabitants of Turkey shall not escape military service.

Enthusiastic receptions to Poincaré in both French houses have surpassed all such demonstrations since the armistice.

British cabinet has apparently definitely decided on waiting policy and

will avoid for the present any serious step affecting close entente relations.

Wives and sweethearts of American soldiers at Coblenz shed tears at news of recall of United States troops.

Marshal Poch, in plain evening dress and looking far from militarist, praises Lafayette Escadrille at Paris banquet.

Princess Helen of Palermo, Constantine's eldest daughter, says that her father died of a broken heart.

London Westminster Gazette, discusses possibility that Rhinish Westphalian syndicate may ship its papers to United States.

Germans of the Ruhr seem stolidly to have accepted French occupation but give impression to observers that dark days are ahead.

Death in New York city of Judge William H. Moore, 74, noted as financier and horseman.

Rev. Dr. Percy Gordon, formerly assistant rector of St. Bartholomew's Protestant Episcopal church, New York, is found dead in Hotel Wolcott

with bullet wound in his head and authorities declare he committed suicide.

Prince Christopher now in New York announces that plans for American tour with Princess Anastasia will have to be changed as result of death of his brother, Constantine.

German Ambassador Wiedfeldt makes formal protest to state department at Washington against occupation of the Ruhr by France.

No evidence of incendiarism with fire that destroyed St. Charles church property, Woburn, is announced by Fire Marshal Neal.

Swenson Granite Co., Concord, N. H., signs agreement with Granite Cutters ending a strike in progress since April 1, 1922.

Otto C. Hehring, under arrest, charged with conspiracy to steal \$13,120 from Beacon Security Co., Boston.

Police guard St. Mary's church and school, Manchester, N. H., as result of reported attempts of incendiarism.

PROTECTION OF WOMEN IN INDUSTRY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Protection of women in industry from exploitation as to wages, hours and working conditions and removal of mothers from industry were the keynotes of an address by Secretary Davis yesterday, opening the three-day sessions of the conference on women in industry called by the women's bureau of the department of labor.

"Today, more than one-fifth of the women of the United States are employed in gainful occupations," the secretary said, "and more than one-tenth of the married women of the nation are so employed. These figures demonstrate clearly the need for thorough consideration of the problems which confront these mothers and potential mothers of our citizens of the future. Upon the right solution of these problems depends our very existence as a nation."

"I say here and now and I shall stand unequivocally on this proposition: Take out of industry those mothers who have babies to care for. Any economic structure which is anywhere based upon the labor in industry of the mothers of the nation is false and sooner or later it will come crashing down about our heads."

"Women in industry form a new condition in our life. It is significant that during the decade between 1910 and 1920, the number of women employed in our strictly industrial plants, in the manufacturing and mechanical factories, has increased by 100,000. Women in industry are largely without protection that has come to the male worker through the traditions of his craft and the long years of precedent which surround his employment. Women have demonstrated that they are entitled to equal pay for equal work in industry, but in many cases it has been found difficult to establish even this simple standard."

The problem of women in industry is a problem "for the whole people," the secretary said, adding that no great forward step in our industrial relations could be taken without the co-operation of the "great body of the thinking men and women of the country."

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS INCREASE

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Savings banks deposits in this state increased \$78,823,076 in 1922, and the number of depositors increased 56,601. The Massachusetts Savings Banks association in making public these figures yesterday, said that deposits now total \$1,215,094,216, and depositors number 2,245,051. Of the increase in deposits \$58,290,106 was by dividends credited to accounts.

Confidence

is the foundation of business—a mutual confidence existing between buyer and seller is essential to any satisfactory transaction.

And confidence is the growth of years—the child of fair dealing and the father of success.

It is because we realize so well these facts that we have, throughout the years, so jealously guarded the unvarying quality of Larabee's Best Flour and have maintained the Larabee standard of business ethics.

Our reward is that today, throughout the world, there is confidence in the name of "Larabee" which makes our business relationships a source of constant pleasure.

And housewives have likewise learned to recognize in the label of Larabee's Best Flour the guarantee of a superior, always dependable sack of flour.

BLAKE-CURTIS COMPANY
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HAVERHILL, MASS.



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Granddaddy's right. For the better part of a century, Heckers' Buckwheat has been a favorite. It makes delicious, light cakes with the real, old-time buckwheat flavor. Ready for the griddle when mixed with water or milk. Be sure to get Heckers'.

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FRENCH TROOPS ON THE MARCH

Poilus in this uniform again move forward into German territory, carrying out her expressed intention to occupy the Ruhr region.

SELL STATE HOSPITALS TO COUNTIES

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—The state department of public health after a study of tuberculosis hospitals, recommended to the legislature yesterday that the North Reading state sanatorium be sold to the counties of Middlesex and Worcester, which have none, that the state sanatorium at Westfield, now used for children, be sold to Hampshire, Franklin, Berkshire and Hampden counties, and the city of Springfield, as a district tuberculosis hospital for adults, and that the state hospital at Rutland, now used for adults, be converted for use by children.

The report also recommended that the use of the various county tuberculosis hospitals be under the supervision of a board of trustees, composed of the chairman of the board of trustees of each county hospital, with the state commissioner of public health acting as chairman of the new board, ex-officio.

Seven districts would be established No. 1, counties of Hampshire, Berkshire, Franklin and Hampden, and the city of Springfield; No. 2, Middlesex and Worcester counties and the municipalities of Suffolk county outside of Boston; No. 3, Bristol county; No. 4, Essex county; No. 5, Norfolk county; No. 6, Plymouth county, and No. 7, the counties of Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket.

WAR ON GAMBLING AT COUNTY FAIRS

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 12.—War is to be waged against gambling at county fairs this year. Commissioner Albert W. Gilbert of the state department of agriculture told the delegates to the annual meeting of the New England Fairs association in this city yesterday. He said that conditions had reached a stage where drastic action is necessary to discourage the use of gambling devices which hurt the fairs and take away the people's money. He said that the farm bureau has become a competitor of the county fairs. The commissioner announced that his department will establish a school for judging cattle, fruits and vegetables this year, with classes to be held in various parts of the state. President E. C. Wilcox of Greenfield presided at the meeting.

EXTENSION COURSE IN ADVERTISING

Advertising including the art of "ad writing" and the preparation of copy for the newspapers is the subject of a course which the division of university extension is offering in Lowell. This class, which will meet Friday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Lowell high school, will be given by E. S. Whitten of Boston. Current newspapers, local magazines together with the lesson papers furnished by the state will take the place of textbooks in the class work according to Mr. Whitten, and students will deal with actual sales problems of Lowell advertisers. Instruction will be given in the analysis of selling points, in the writing of headlines and body matter, and in methods of display. Subjects of special interest to persons in retail business will be taken up.

F. D. Dullison, chairman of the educational committee of the Lowell Advertising club; Hugh J. McElroy, superintendent of schools, and J. P. Cavanagh and W. S. Perry of the United Commercial Travelers association are interested in the organization of this class and it is mainly through the interest of former students in salesmanship classes conducted by J. J. Morgan and L. S. Tracy that this class is to be given here. The twelve lessons of the course will include exercises in writing convincing copy, lively headlines and interesting items of business news. Enrollments of students will be accepted at the first meeting of the course to be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Residents of Lowell or vicinity interested in the study of advertising may apply for membership at that time.

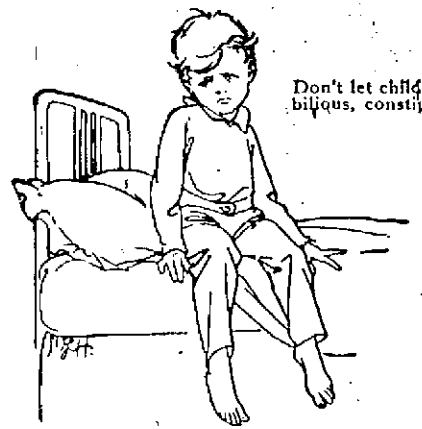
PROTESTS RELEASE OF JACK RABBITS

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 12.—The release of 25 jack rabbits in Greenfield Saturday as one of the features of a big winter carnival will be protested by A. W. Gilbert, state commissioner of agriculture. Mr. Gilbert said here yesterday and he will take up the matter with the state department of conservation on the ground that such animals have proved a pest in the west.



FOURTH WIFE ASKS DIVORCE

Mrs. Elvira Brugnieri, fourth wife of Dr. Peder Sather Brugnieri, San Francisco millionaire, is seeking a divorce. Two of Peder's other wives divorced him and a third died.



Don't let child stay bilious, constipated.

MOTHER, MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS WITH "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Even Cross, Feverish, Sick Children Love its Taste and it Never Fails to Empty Little Bowels

When constipated, bilious, irritable, listless, or full of cold, your little one needs a teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" to quickly start liver and bowel action. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works the sour bile and undigested food right out and you have a well, playful child again. Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. It never cramps or overacts. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup," which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Adv.

ASPIRIN

SAY "BAYER" when you buy. Insist!

Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets, you are not getting the genuine Bayer product prescribed by physicians over 23 years and proved safe by millions for



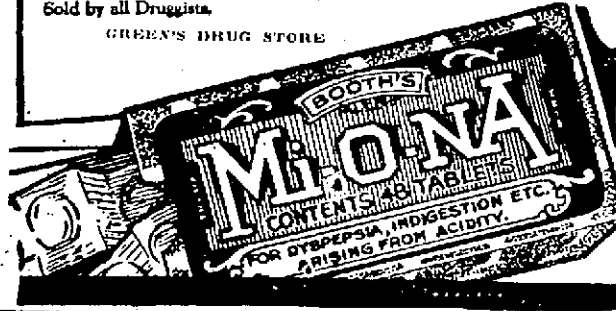
Colds Headache
Toothache Rheumatism
Neuritis Lumbago
Neuralgia Pain, Pain

Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proper directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets—Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacopolis of Germany.

Renew Well Stomach Pep

Leave the ranks of bilious, sour-stomach folks, afraid to eat, troubled with gas, headaches and heartburn. Join the "well stomach" hearty eaters who rejoice in every good thing there is to eat without fear of indigestion or acid stomach. Many use M-I-O-N-A at first symptoms of stomach weakness and find immediate relief. Makes you feel so good so quick! Restores the old Vim and Go. Splendid for children. Pleasant and harmless. Forms no habit. Stops acid stomach ailments before they become chronic and lead to more serious complications. M-I-O-N-A is preserved perfectly and kept sanitary by packing in air-tight paraffined tins. Insist on genuine M-I-O-N-A from your druggist. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. Sold by all Druggists.

GREEN'S DRUG STORE



COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold in Few Hours

Instant relief. Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. The first dose opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages of head; stops nose running; relieves headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing. The second

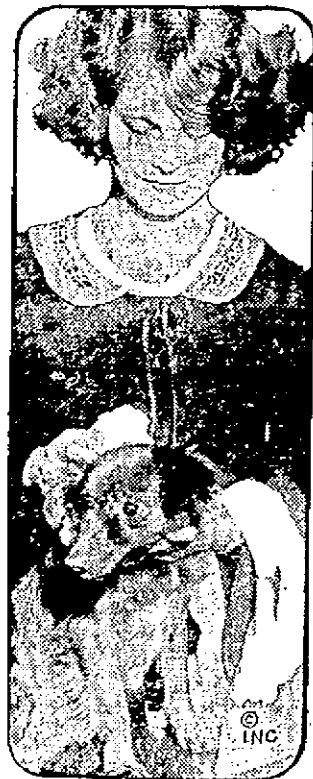
and third doses usually break up the cold completely and end all griping misery. "Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist upon Pape's.—Adv.

CASCARETS 10¢

For Constipated Bowels, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Bilious Liver

The nicest cathartic-laxative in the world when you have Dizzy Headache, Colds, Biliousness, Indigestion, or Upset, Acid Stomach is "Cascarets." Candy-like "Cascarets" melt, or Oil and they cost only ten cents a box. Children love Cascarets, too—bowels completely by morning, and you will feel splendid. "They work while you sleep." Cascarets never stir you up or gripe like Salts, Pills, Calomel, or Oil and they cost only ten cents a box. Children love Cascarets, too.—Adv.

It Will Pay You to Get THE SUN Classified Ad Habit



DOG'S FRIEND

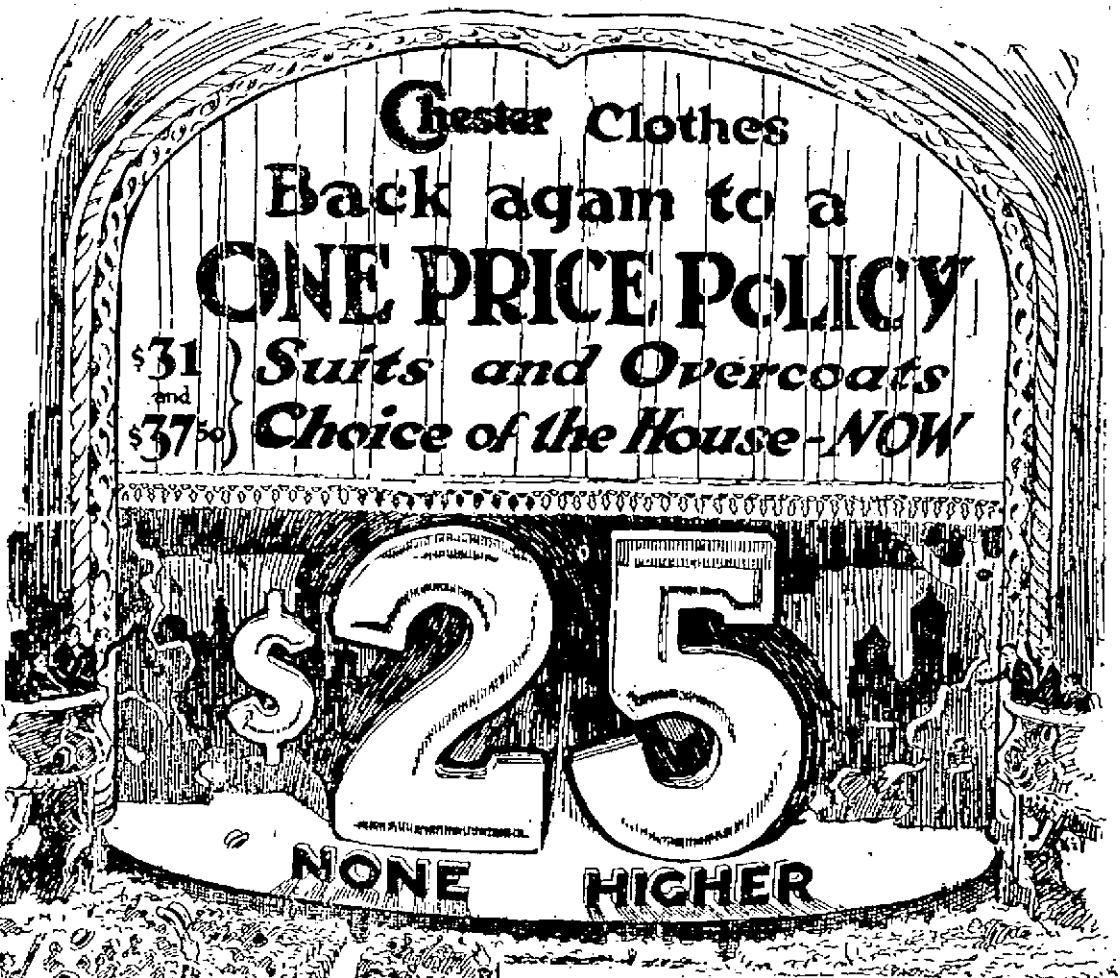
Mrs. J. Paul Fernel, Chicago, loves dogs so much she's made her home a haven for all the hungry and abandoned ones who can find. And when they're bruised or hurt, she makes her husband, a plastic surgeon, fix 'em up.

Cork, iron and glass have been expatriated with for making roads to stand heavy traffic.

Chester Clothes

Maker to Wearer Direct

THE CURTAIN IS RAISED
Here are clothes you will wear with pride—
Reduced to a price you will pay with pleasure



EVERY \$31 and \$37.50 Chester Suit, and Overcoat, in every Chester Clothes Shop has been reduced to the popular, practical price of \$25. Nothing higher!

Styles to fit every taste—Sizes to fit every build

Every Suit just one price. Every Overcoat just one price
You Pay \$25 for Any Garment You Select!

Buy NOW—

Save \$10 to \$20

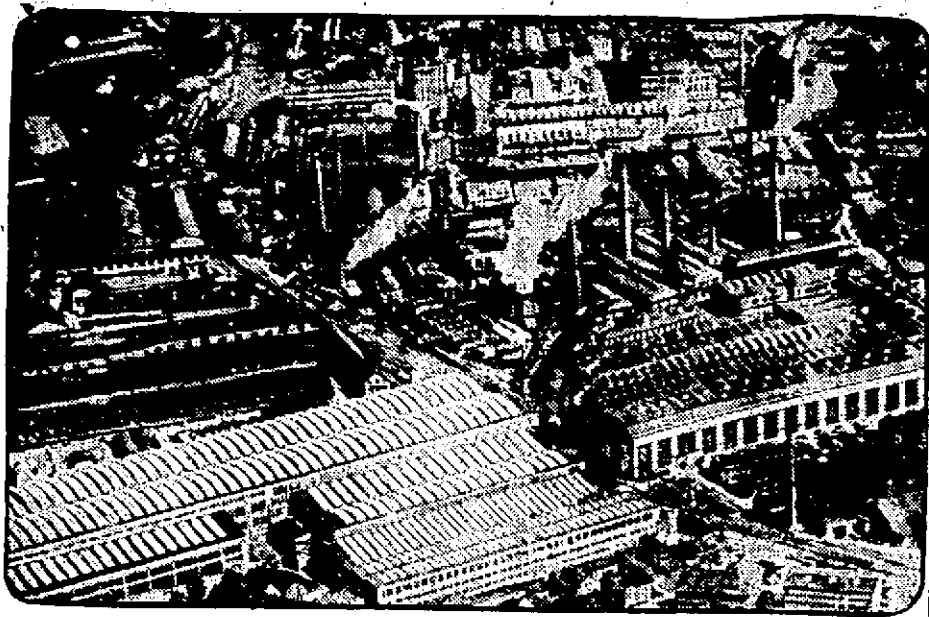
Maker to Wearer Direct
CHESTER CLOTHES SHOP
Stores Everywhere

Satisfaction
Guaranteed
or
Money Back

No
Charge
for
Alterations

102 Central St., Lowell, Mass.

J. J. McGuigan, Manager.



The Krupp works at Essen, Germany. French troops may take over these giant factories, formerly devoted to the manufacture of munitions.

Proclamation Issued

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from Germany, and has served notice through her premier, that she is prepared to extend her holdings if her economic occupation of Essen does not yield satisfactory results. It was understood here today, in fact, that another Ruhr zone would be subjected to "invisible occupation" within three days.

WAS ALMOST A NERVOUS WRECK

Says Wincarnis Restored Her Health

"Ten months ago I began to lose my strength. My household duties became burdensome. I felt exhausted after the slightest exertion. Then my nerves got so bad that at the slightest noise I used to tremble, my legs would shake and my heart beat violently causing me to gasp for breath. One afternoon a friend called to see me and she was shocked at my pitiable condition. She went out and bought a bottle of Wincarnis and gave me a dose right away. I continued taking Wincarnis three times a day and its effect has been almost miraculous. Gradually but surely my strength came back, a color came into my cheeks, my nerves grew steady and it seemed as if I had taken a new lease on life. Today I am a very happy woman because I am well."

(Mrs. Elizabeth McGuire, 806 West 101st Street, New York City)

WINCARNIS
At all good Druggists.
Two Sizes, \$1.10 and \$1.95
WRITE FOR FREE INTERESTING BOOKLET
to EDWARD LASSERE, INC.,
400 West 23rd Street, NEW YORK.

statement in the number of deputies yesterday, warned the nation not to expect the opening of the Ruhr treasure house would be followed immediately by a flood of gold. He asserted that it would probably be some time before the control commission's efforts would be noticeably productive.

Factories To Close In Protest
ESSEN, Jan. 12.—All the factories will close next Monday morning from 11 to 11:15 o'clock in protest against the occupation. The committee directing the demonstration represents all political parties.

Railway traffic will stop for 10 minutes at the same hour. The ringing of church bells and the blowing of factory whistles will voice the city's indignation.

Krupp Plants Busy
ESSEN, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) The 10,000 employees of the Krupp plant here went to work today as usual, according to information officially supplied to the French economic mission in Essen by the German authorities.

Strikes are reported in Bochum, but the percentage of strikers is small, it is declared.

The French have moved their outposts to Gelsenkirchen, three miles northeast of Essen, and to Velbert, five miles to the southeast.

R. H. Men Make Protest
BERLIN, Jan. 12.—The directorate of the German Railwaymen's union has issued a protest against the French occupation of Essen. The statement urges the workers to remain calm, saying: "Since we are defenseless, we must submit to force in the expectation that a protest to the conscience of the world will obtain our aim."

Sen. Degoutte Satisfied
DUESSELDORF, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) General Degoutte, commander-in-chief, in charge of the movement of the military into the extended zone of occupation in the Ruhr declared today he considered his mission to have been successfully carried out.

"I had instruction to protect the entrance of the economic mission into Essen and the Ruhr," he said to the

correspondent, "and this has been done. My further duties now consist of ensuring the security of the members of the mission while they are at work, which I have taken measures to do."

"No trouble has occurred thus far and I do not expect any unless the Berlin government should give inflammatory instructions to the Ruhr authorities, which I consider it would not be to the best interests of Berlin to do."

"Our relations with the German authorities are correct," the general added.

The French high commission in the Rhineland, it was announced this morning, has invited the managers of all the factories in the newly occupied zone to meet with it.

German Minister Protests
BERNE, Switzerland, Jan. 12 (by the Associated Press)—The German minister to Switzerland today handed the foreign ministry a note protesting against the occupation of the Ruhr by French troops.

Protest to State Department
WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Developments in the Ruhr crisis, in which further complications loom with the declaration of Germany that she is "not in a position to make actual reparations to those powers," participating in the Ruhr occupation found the American government today apparently still without hope of any immediate opportunity for helpfulness in the situation.

Holding the Ruhr occupation to be "in contradiction with the treaty (of Versailles) and international law, the German government in a formal protest left at the state department late yesterday by Dr. Otto Wiedfeldt, the German ambassador, declared that as long as the alleged violations obtained, "Germany is not in a position to make actual reparations to those powers that have brought about this state of affairs."

An airplane moving at nearly 100 miles an hour was passed easily by swallows in full flight.

The Vatican library, in Rome, contains 34,000 manuscripts and about 250,000 printed volumes.



Eberfeld, shown here, is one of the most important cities in the Ruhr Valley.

Rep. Slowey Files Bill

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earned by electric light corporations shall be distributed to the cities and towns in which the corporations operate.

The bill reads: "If the annual dividend of any corporation manufacturing and selling electricity in this commonwealth exceeds six per cent, then in such an event a sum equal to the excess of the dividend over six per cent shall be paid by said corporation into the treasury of the commonwealth and distributed among the cities and towns in proportion to the valuation of the property which is owned, leased or operated by said corporation therein."

Still Another Change
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to change its present form of electing its legislative bodies.

If the bill is adopted every disgruntled group in every city would be allowed to file a petition with their

This Mother Says:
"Mentho-Laxene Great"

Mrs. Kathryn Schmidt, 122 Proctor St., 25th Ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., writes under date of December 17th, 1921: "I can highly recommend Mentho-Laxene. One bottle cured my child, 1 1/2 years of age, of an ugly bronchial cough that in subacute form had lasted for 10 weeks. I was terribly distressed and I had our doctor's prescription filled after another and tried different medicines of the ready-made kind, but everything failed to check the dread-

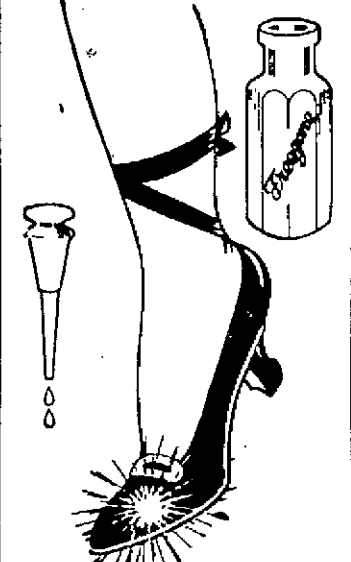


ful coughing. Then it was I tried your Mentho-Laxene, which I find is great. I am deeply sorry I did not know of it sooner. It would have saved me many a doctor bill. You may publish my note if you wish, for I think every mother should know what a safeguard she may have to keep her children well in this wonderful home-made cough syrup, Mentho-Laxene."

Use the pure essence—mix it with sugar syrup in a hot pint. Buy Mentho-Laxene today and drive the cold and cough away. All good druggists.—Ad.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an itching corn. Instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with Anger's Nails!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Freezone for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes. Use this ointment, without surgery or irritation.

COAL ON CREDIT

Lowell Store Order Check System
233 HILDRETH BLDG.
Tel. Connection.

TUB OF CLOTHES, left between West Fourth and Thorndike sts., Reform New System Laundry, 235 Thorndike st., Tel. 2192.

St. Railway Co. Admits

Temporary Defeat by Storm

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greatly on the busy lines. Cars bound for Christian Hill soon after 7:30 couldn't make the short steep climb from Beech street to Beacon, and were turned to slide back and then returned to the inbound routes. The failure of the service to Beacon street lasted until 8:15, when a big double-track plow cleaned the rails and track slides allowing cars to slowly move through.

The Beacon line was blocked before 8 o'clock, one of two cars going only half way and then returning to the square, but after that hour service was better when the plow got busy.

Serious delays occurred again on Middlesex and Gorham streets. There was a 20-minute stoppage of cars on the former street beginning at 10:30 a.m. A city working outfit with block and tackle removed a stalled truck loaded heavily with perishable goods.

Just before 11 o'clock, four tons of American sugar in barrels held the Middlesex street right of way for more than 15 minutes, gas tank empty and more waiting for filling operations.

Hard On Mill Workers
As usual mill workers were forced to tramp through the drifting snow this morning on their way to work, cars being few and far between, as was the case up to the noon hour and later.

For the street highway men admitted one thing today—and admitted it freely:

"This is the worst we have been up against yet!" And they mean it.

The locks and canals are after the people who are beginning to dump loads of snow into the canals.

Orders went out today to have the piers stopped, as any dumping of loads of snow and ice in the canal channels, may lead to serious injury to water power machinery. The custom is not likely to become popular, but the warning is issued in season to prevent machinery and power trouble and possible stoppage of mill work and loss of workers' wages.

A police department chauffeur came to the rescue of a stranded truckman, whose license bore the number "B 8938," who lost his bearings in the storm in front of the Bon Marche on Merrimack street at 10:30 this morning, and yelled for help. The police chauffeur hustled over to the barge and got his automobile chain, and in 17 minutes by the watch, the loaded truck was off the rails and the chauffeur on his way back to headquarters with his chain.

The weather bureau unfortunately failed to predict such a storm as the one that encompassed Lowell today. Its report late last night was for cloudy weather today, followed by fair and somewhat warmer, with Saturday fair and colder. There is no doubt but what a cold wave is coming, but today's weather bears little of the "clouds," followed by fair" appellation marks.

Freight Yards Congested
Boston & Maine freight yards are fearfully congested at the present time, inspectors say. At the same time, con-

siderable freight is moving north and south, and the passenger trains are running on about the same schedules. The 10 o'clock train for Boston today was nearly half an hour late.

City workmen continued their task of attempting to clean the big piles of snow drifts on the main city streets today, but they made very little real headway. Even Middlesex street, between Tower's corner and the railroad station has been less than half completed in the clean-up operations, and from a point below the Crown Theatre to the station, the big drifts are still there and growing larger with every storm. Other downtown streets contain the same pictures, with miles of snow mounds breast-high in all sections of Lowell.

Shortage in Overhoe Markets
Not for several years has the shoe trade in Lowell experienced such a heavy demand for all kinds of rubber footwear as is the case at present. The bad weather generally, but more especially the amount of slush there has been, is responsible for it.

Stocks of lightweight, or dress accoutrements for both sexes are reported nearly exhausted in all parts of the country. Their scarcity is almost equalled by the present paucity of the heavier accoutrements for work purposes.

Supplies of rubbers are not at all

heavy now, owing to the enormous demand for rubbers of all kinds, from the slip-ons to the big "coveralls" that cover most of the shoes except the uppers. The scarcity of common rubbers, however, does not compare with the scarcity of overshoes.

Many Lowell dealers have sent in orders for fresh supplies of articles of overshoes, and have been informed that many of the wholesalers in the larger cities are absolutely wiped out on stocks for the time being.

Some dealers say the demand for women's rubbers are greater than that for men's.

WHO FIRST FELT "LIKE A FIGHTING COCK"?

COCK-FIGHTING was born with the cock.

But it is only 80 years ago that the first man felt "like a fighting cock!"

Now he has brothers, sisters, nephews, nieces, all over the world—all feeling "like a fighting cock!"

It happens this way. A person half sick with a stomach dull and heavy headache, takes Beecham's Pills just before going to bed. Immediately the Pills begin to harmonize the digestive and eliminative organs.

Consequently, this person has a good night's sleep and arises in the morning with clear brain, bright eye, keen appetite, and full of energy for work and play.

It is now just 80 years since Beecham's Pills first began correcting disordered stomachs and stirring sluggish livers and bowels to natural activity—and feeling "like a fighting cock!" is associated as inseparably with Beecham's Pills, as the pills are with good health.

At All Druggists—25c and 50c

Boston Wholesale Millinery Co.

UPSTAIRS 90 MERRIMACK ST.

Sensational Sale of TRIMMED SATIN HATS \$2.96 Regular \$5.00 Value



OVERSHOES OVERSHOES

RETAILERS WHOLESALERS MANUFACTURERS Are All Out of Them

The Problem Is Solved

SEND YOUR OLD OVERSHOES TO US

We Will Repair Them—Price Reasonable

GOODYEAR SHOE REPAIRING CO.

22 Appleton Street

OPEN TONIGHT C. H. WILLIS OPEN TONIGHT

Kearney Square

Specials Tonight, 6 to 9

SPINACH, pk.	35¢	Cudahy's Puritan HAMS. .	20¢
STRAWBERRIES	65¢	Sugar Cured BACON, by the strip. .	22¢
FRENCH ENDIVES	45¢	CHICKENS, 4-lb. avge. .	30¢
Hot House LETTUCE.	7¢	RIB ROAST, no bone.	22¢
Astd. CHOCOLATES, lb. .	23¢	SIRLOIN ROAST, no bone, 31¢	
Fancy Brisket CORNED BEEF	15¢	Thick Rib CORNED BEEF, 14¢	
		Club SIRLOIN STEAK. .	23¢

ONE QUALITY ONLY—THE BEST

A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store for Thrifty People

The January Department Clearances

ON

Toilet Articles, Etc.

Corsets, Brassieres and Bandeaux

Teas, Coffees, and Fancy Groceries

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases

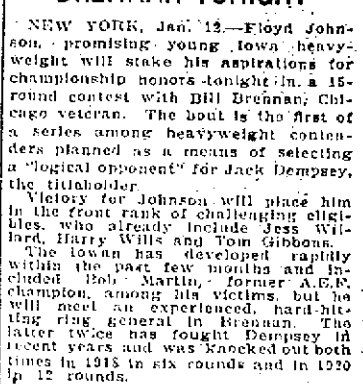

CONTINUE TODAY

Watch for the Orange Cards

FLOYD JOHNSON MEETS BRENNAN TONIGHT

PACK OLD-TIME WALLOP

By N.E.A. Service
NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Will Babe Ruth do a comeback. In 1923, thrill the fans with his terrific 'wallops and win back his fast-waning prestige?
If you would believe a half dozen of the star pitchers who dropped



BABE RUTH

...ound at the recent meeting of the
...or leagues, Ruth has seen his best
...y as a slugger.

"Never again will Ruth be as
...ublesome as in 1921, when he made
...ose 50 home runs," remarked one
...minent big league twirler.

In those days, Ruth was feared by
...ery pitcher in the American League.

YANKS' INFIELD HAS WEAK SPOT

By N.E.A. Service.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The infield of the New York Yankees has been found to be the class that one expects of a pennant winner.

Joe Judge, third baseman, is perhaps the most valuable player in the American League at that position. The Yankees, however, cannot do much bragging about the outfield, especially in center.

Scott, at short, is going but fast. The Yankees must find a successor for him within the next few years.

Ward, at second, is a good mechanical player, but prone to pull some costly mistake at the most inopportune time.

Pipp, at first, was one of the most valuable players on the Yankees' last season, despite the fact that he has been on the market for several years.

Pink ranks next to Dugan in value.

...those in the National were
...ful he was in that organiza-
...n. Bush was a big threat in those
...s, but that big hat of his no
...ger carries the base-hit dynamite
...li which it was once loaded.

**SELECTION OF BUSH MAY
MEAN PASSING OF PECK**

By N.E.A. Service.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Report has
that Roger Peckinpaugh is certain
figure in a trade before the open-
ing of the 1923 campaign. The deal re-

ROLLING CONTEST

AT CRESCENT RINK


LEAD SPORTS ROLLING CONTEST.
This evening on the Crescent alleys a thrilling, roll-off match which has been hanging fire for several weeks, will be staged between two picked teams of the Helme Electric and the Commercial Will Porter and Norman Comau. Porter is a first class local bowler, while Comau is a recent arrival here. He comes from Wisconsin and is a pin toppler of unusual merit. Although he is an acknowledged Comau's superiority as an individual bowler, he claims that team play will be the coming match. A large crowd of local on-lookers are expected to be on hand for the contest.

SOON TO START FOR SOUTH

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 12.—The battery men of the St. Louis Nationals will leave for St. Louis today for the team's spring training camp at Bradenton, Fla. Rube Bressler, a French catcher, who originally joined the Cardinals, was released today. Bressler said the Cardinals could not find a position for him with the Syracuse Internationals.



Up of Shirts



ROGER PECKINPAUGH

ly made, in which the Nationals fired Shortstop Gagon from Brooklyn, it was the general opinion that he would not only play, but also succeed. George McBridge, manager of the Nationals, the fact Peckinpaugh had at times beaten the Yankees with success, made them all the more certain that Peckinpaugh was a managerial birth. The appointment of Peckinpaugh as a surprise. He was not significant in the dope. Humor has it that was much put out over the failure to land the job and that it averted his early season play.

Up to \$5.00

Shirts
Striped Shirts
White Shirts
Striped Shirts
Dark Shirts

we've ever of-
\$0, \$4.00 and some

BASKETBALL IS LATEST MENACE

By N.E.A. Service

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Basketball is the winter sport becoming as big a problem to the major league club owners as post-season barnstorming. A large number of major league players are playing professional basketball during the winter. This is particularly true in the east, where professional basketball has a large following.

Basketball is a strenuous sport. The winter season prevails that a hard winter game of basketball is far from good for a league ball player. Basketball takes a toll out of the athlete and hardly leaves him in shape for a six-months' season on the diamond.

marked Down
(included)

.....	\$3.15
.....	\$3.65

OF

ANNE'S SECONDS VS. HIGHLANDS

Highland quintet, one of the amateur basketball teams in the area, will meet the fast St. Anne's team in the first round of the playoffs. Both teams have yet to meet. They will line up as follows: St. Anne's, Hosting a, 7:30 p. m. Carl J. Thomas Jr., Alvin C. Buchanan, Donnie E. Gibson, and R. Buchanan Jr. Smith Jr. Preliminary game, featuring the team and the Varnum Independent will provide additional amuse-

Y.M.C.A. Juniors are leading the Basketball League and hope to win the championship. They have a slate thus far. Next Tuesday, Juniors will play the Green school

ckwear

1.00 and \$1.50

RCOATS

WN

5 ALL STAR BOXING BOUTS
MASS. MILL CLUB ROOM
Johnny McDonough
vs. Alfonso Mello
TONIGHT AT 8.15
Adm. 25c. Tickets on sale at door

DR. CAVANAUGH SOUNDS WARNING

Former President of Notre Dame Addresses Boston Chamber of Commerce

Says Radical Socialism Greatest Peril That Looms on National Horizon

Discusses Negro Question, Labor and "Anarchy" in Education

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—Radical socialism is now perhaps the greatest peril that looms on our national horizon, Rev. John Cavanaugh, former president of Notre Dame university, said in an address today at a Boston chamber of commerce luncheon.

"Nobody but a fool can close his eyes to a very serious danger that menaces our country," Dr. Cavanaugh said. "During the last few decades great swarms of immigrants have sought hospitality in America. Among them are a certain number who have adopted the gloomy philosophy of anarchy and socialism. They have brought to this country their ancient grudges, born and nourished under the tyrannies of old world kings."

"This wretched and diabolical philosophy might well be ignored if it were adopted by a few freaks and cranks of weak intellect, but they have been joined by malefactors and agitators and demagogues and adventurers and soldiers of fortune. There are more than 27 newspapers published in this country for the purpose of overthrowing the republic and substituting communist government. There are 16 large groups representing various shades of anarchy, communism and radical socialism and there are more than 40 propaganda agencies of these extreme parties. 'No God, no Master,' is the radical slogan."

"Among other serious problems confronting the nation, Dr. Cavanaugh mentioned the negro question, the struggle between capital and labor, and 'anarchy' in education, business, religion and morals. Of the latter he said:

"The old home is almost an Arcadian memory. Millions of people still have children, but there are few fathers and mothers in comparison with an older day. There are not so many babies to answer the yearning mother love of women, but more puppy dogs are being caressed. That is the thing, no doubt, has almost invaded the cradle. Whenever, on a sleeping car, I hear a childish voice wailing in the night, I can never be sure whether it is a case of teething or unrequited love."

"There are no more children in the world, but only infants and little, old men and women. Every boy has his private bootlegger and nobly shares his 'hooch' with his girl friends. Mother (those melodies are banished from the schools because, like the story of Santa Claus, they are not authenticated by science, and besides there must be room in the program of the grade schools for sex instruction and a course of training in the obligations of parenthood. Young boys go everywhere that curiosity or awakening passion suggests, and young girls read everything under the same conditions, although to do them justice, they are usually scrupulous to preserve the morals of their mothers by holding their reading in concealment."

"In reference to what he termed 'the anarchy of religious history,' Dr. Cavanaugh mentioned the K. K. K., which, he said, 'seems to have derived its name from some stuttering idiot and its principles from some unfranchised London politician.'"

"The Ku Klux Klan call themselves 100 per cent. Americans," he continued. "It must be a misprint in the text, the correct reading being that there is about one per cent. Americanism in 100 of them."

To offset the problems outlined, Dr. Cavanaugh pleaded for the adoption of "the doctrine of obedience to God, devotion to country and service to humanity."

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

CATARRH
of head or throat is usually benefited by the vapors of—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

JURORS ASK TO BE DISMISSED

Minority of Members of Special Grand Jury Come Before Court With Pleas

Fail to Continue Proceedings on Present Lines, Says Spokesman

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—A minority of the members of the special grand jury called to consider the criminal phases of the blackmail and extortion exposures on which Joseph C. Pelletier was indicted, left the grand jury room today and asked the superior court to dismiss them. It would be futile to continue the proceedings on present lines, Charles M. Kotch, their spokesman, told Judge Bishop who would not allow airing of their problem in open court in opposition of the request was postponed until tomorrow.

One of the 22 members of the grand jury were in the group that came before the court. Among them was Martin J. Maguire, foreman of the special grand jury but he stood silent and allowed Kotch to do the talking. Two others also stood aloof.

Before they came into the court room, the fact that they had been engaged in long conferences and discussions was known. Judge Bishop shut off any possible public announcement of the grand jury's proceedings by directing Kotch that under no circumstances could he lift the legal veil that guards these matters.

AT GREENHALGE SCHOOL

Chamber of Commerce Representative Addresses Parent-Teachers' Association

Armed with an impressive set of figures showing the total estimated values of the textile industries of Lowell as compared with all other industries of the city, together with interesting totals of the amount of business in dollars produced in a prosperous year by chief lines of industry outside of the "textile channels," Edward W. Gallagher, assistant secretary of the Lowell chamber of commerce, yesterday appeared as principal speaker before the members of the Parent-Teachers' association at its annual meeting at 3 o'clock in the Greenhalge school.

Mr. Gallagher's topic for the afternoon, "Opportunities for Employment in Lowell Outside of the Textile Industries," was highly opportune. His review and discussion of business conditions in Lowell, today and those of the past, was filled with material that was impressive when figures were presented in addition, showing the variety of industries that flourish in and about Lowell without textile world affiliations.

Mr. Gallagher showed the values of production of several of the leading industries of the city, with figures that attracted attention, their magnitude really impressing those in today's audience.

Estimated values of several important industries in Lowell in 1922 were given as follows:

Boats and shoes, \$4,000,000; dyes and finishing, \$10,000,000; foundries and machine shops, \$3,000,000; patent medicines, \$2,000,000; textile machinery, \$11,000,000; boxes, wooden and package, \$1,600,000; electrical machinery and supplies, \$1,300,000; printing and publishing, \$1,300,000.

These were but a few of the figures revealed in the meaty and well-presented address.

The speaker said the most pressing problems that affect the success and general activities of the average business men and their lines of business are the railroad problems, the matter of high freight rates and auto trucking system grows all over the country. These are problems of course, concern the delivery of goods of all kinds, but they are problems that have yet to be solved before the country can attain real prosperity without serious consequences. The three serious problems above named are directly concerned with the problems of suitable marketing and distribution of goods, the speaker said.

The speaker gave his audience a long list of Lowell's chief occupational and production industries, also the average wages in 22 industries and comparison of yearly earnings. There were also figures on women's wages, and the speaker showed that Lowell has many excellent fields for women who are compelled to labor at some of the various trades or occupations.

Suggestions for women and girls who might desire to work and earn money, were given in a list that covered such vocations as advertising, domestic science, music, teaching, trained nursing, interior decoration (new), physical science, social secretary, real estate, insurance, accounting and secretarial science (new).

Mr. Gallagher, in winding up his lengthy address that was interesting from start to finish, repeated a two-verse poem entitled "Your Town," that closed with the line:—

"It Isn't Your Town—It's You!"

He said that Lincoln's slogan that "all men were created equal," was true enough in local sense, but it is little to say that all men are born equal, for many are in the unequal class, but, however, all have equal chances of being equal, and many are proving it day after day right here in the city of Lowell.

CANDIDATE FOR BOARD OF HEALTH

It is understood that Dr. William F. Lawler, well known physician, is a candidate for a position on the board of health this year. The term of Dr. Francis R. Mahoney expired December 31 and his place will be filled by Mayor Donovan, either through a reappointment or by the nomination of a man to succeed him.

DEPUTY CACHIN CALLED TRAITOR

Interrupted Premier Poincare During Explanation of Ruhr Occupation

Is Charged With Plotting Against Safety of State as Result of Activities in Essen

PARIS, Jan. 11. (By the Associated Press).—When Premier Poincare made his formal explanation in the chamber of deputies of the government's action in the Ruhr valley, he was frequently interrupted by Marcel Cachin, communist deputy. These interruptions brought cries from the deputies of the right and center: "Put the traitor out."

Cachin is charged with plotting against the safety of the state as the result of activities in Essen. He is protected from prosecution by his parliamentary immunity, which the government, however, has asked the chamber to suspend.

Poincare made no appeal for sympathy nor effort at eloquence. "If Germany," he said, "would make a serious appeal to the industrial interests of Germany, she would have no need for a monitor."

"After having been led from conference to conference and after misunderstanding after misunderstanding, we came to the point where we felt we were being led into inextricable complications, and there was nothing we could do but watch our interests in Germany."

CHARTER MEMBER OF KLAN TESTIFIES

BASTION, N. H., Jan. 11.—Fred Higginbotham, who declared himself a charter member of the Ku Klux Klan and still a member, asserted on the witness stand today at the opening hearing into hooded band activities and the slaying of Watt Daniel and Thomas Richard, that he could name but one official, Captain Skipwith, Skipwith is exalted cyclops of the Morehouse Klan. The only members attending the meeting at which he was initiated were Skipwith and L. L. Trombe.

Higginbotham was mentioned by Harry Neelis, youthful automobile salesman, who testified yesterday as one who seemed active in carrying messages between men who took part in the kidnapping of Richard on Aug. 17 or 18 last—when he was taken into the woods and questioned but later released.

Higginbotham denied he conversed with Neelis at that time to the extent stated by Neelis and asserted that he, too, had been held up by the black-headed band.

Several women were also scheduled to testify today.

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ARMED RUM CHASER FOR DRY NAVY

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WOULD SEIZE LAND IN PAWTUCKETVILLE

Two Important Land-taking Orders to provide additional park and playground areas in Pawtucketville, will be introduced at the meeting of the city council next Tuesday night by Arthur Genest, councillor from Ward 7.

Genest, personally, will sponsor both of them and urge their acceptance and passage.

The first is an order to seize land in Riverside street on the river bank, the site of the present jam factory, which is aimed at a continuation of the boulevard parkway so as to give the park department the ownership of the boulevard parkway so as to give the all river-bank land between Pawtucket square and Moody street.

The second order is for the seizure of Ayer field, so-called, in Mammoth road, opposite the fire engine house, for playground purposes. The councillor feels Pawtucketville has been forgotten in the allotment of play areas for children and thinks the field in question well adapted for such a use.

It is understood that both orders meet with the hearty approval of the park commission, which will welcome the acquisition of both areas. The seizure of the land on which the jam factory is situated has been agitated for some time and Councillor Genest will attempt to make it a reality.

GERMANY TO DECLARE PEACE TREATY BROKEN

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 11.—(By the Associated Press) An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berlin today asserts that the German government has decided to take the following measures immediately after the French occupation is accomplished.

"First—The peace treaty will be declared broken and its execution declared inoperative.

"Second—Germany will no longer negotiate with the reparations commission unless this injustice is removed."

"Third—The use of alcoholic liquors will be reduced."

"Fourth—Sunday will be declared a day of national mourning."

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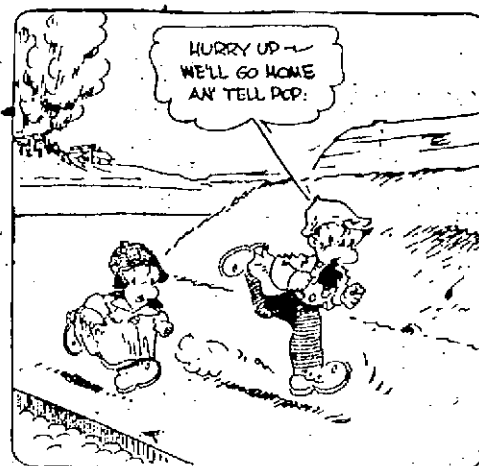
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MONEY FOR MONUMENT ANNUAL DANCING PARTY

Pawtucketville Memorial Association Awaits City's Action—Funds on Hand

The Pawtucketville Memorial association has money enough in the treasury to erect a monument as originally planned on the small tract of land on the Moody street side of the Pawtucket bridge, but nothing will be done until the city has seized and razed the building.



CORNELIUS J. CRONIN

ings on the plot and the park department has graded the land. This was decided at a meeting of the association held last evening in the assembly hall of the Pawtucket school, with Chairman Cornelius J. Cronin in the chair. The requisition of the city for the land at the junction of Mammoth road and Woodward avenue for an athletic field car service in that part of the district were discussed and committees were appointed to look into both matters. The committee on the athletic field was instructed to co-operate with Councilor Arthur Genest of Ward 3 in his endeavor to have the city purchase the land, while the other committee was instructed to confer with officials of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway company for better service on both the Mammoth road and Mammoth avenue lines during the day. A third committee was appointed to confer with the school authorities in an endeavor to have the use of the Pawtucket school hall for meetings once a month.

At the opening of the meeting Chairman Cronin reviewed the work of the association since its inception and said the officers of the organization have been endeavoring to have the city seize the land and buildings on the Moody street side of the bridge and also to have the park board members interested in the project, but their efforts have proved fruitless. "The park board members," he said, "seemed to be more interested in other sections of the city. All we have had so far were promises. "The purpose of this meeting," said Mr. Cronin, "is to appoint a committee to confer with our councilor in an endeavor to assist him in having the council pass an order for the improvement of that spot. We have sufficient money on hand to erect a monument as originally planned, but we will do nothing until the land is ready. Some people seem to be worrying as to whether or not there is any money left in the fund, but these will be put at ease in a few minutes when Treasurer William H. Rigby will make a report of the finances of the association." Mr. Rigby was then called upon and after reviewing in part what has been accomplished by the association, he said at the last meeting of the association it was voted not to do anything until the city had agreed to share, through removal of the buildings and grading the land. "Be fair to those who have devoted their time and energy and in some instances their money to this cause," he said, "do not criticize if you want any information come to your officers and they will tell you all you wish to know."

Telephone Girls Trip Light Fantastic at Associate Hall—All Lines Busy

Associate hall was the scene last night of one of the prettiest informal parties of the season, the telephone girls' annual dancing party. The hall was tastefully decorated in blue, white and gold. Streamers were hung from the chandelier and the balcony and walls were draped in the above colors. A "cozy corner" was arranged for the matrons, and comfortable chairs provided for them that they might enjoy the dancing and the music.

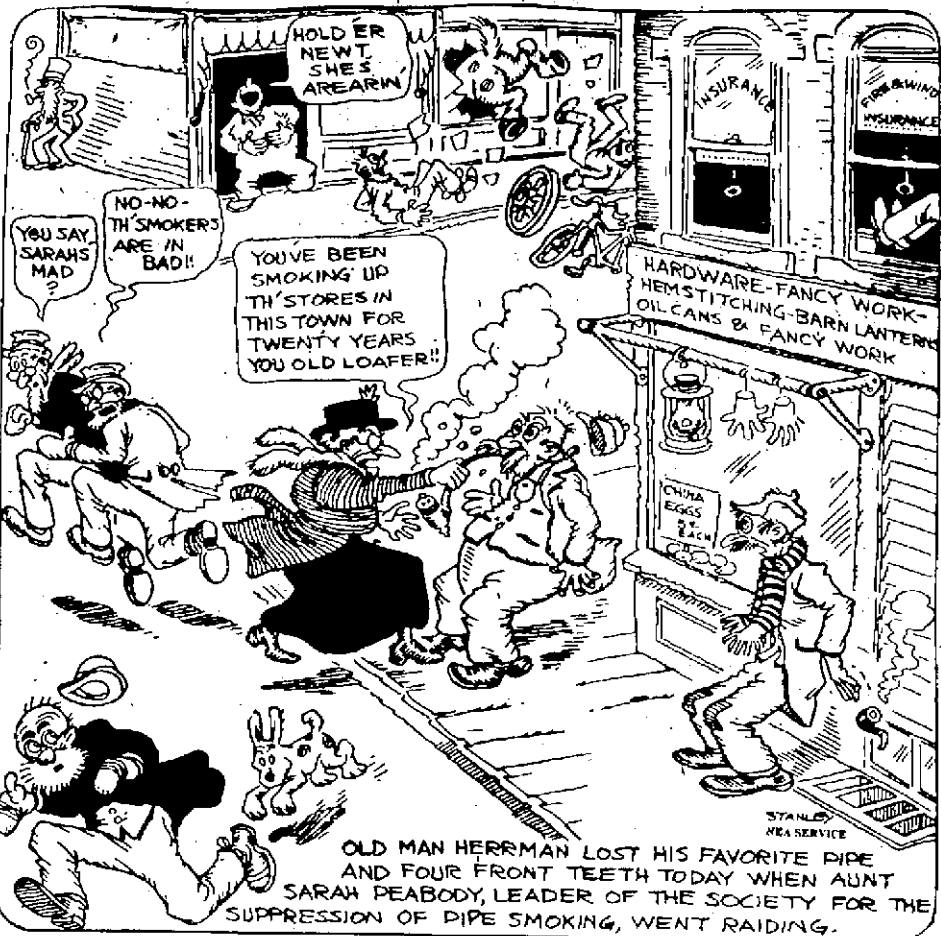
Miner-Doyle's orchestra gave a concert from 8 until 8:30 which was greatly enjoyed. Dancing began at 8:30 and, with the exception of intermission at 11 o'clock, continued until 1:30 a. m.

The telephone girls' dance is usually one of the bright lights of the season and last night's party was no exception at all. It was a most enjoyable affair and all were bent upon enjoying themselves and all.

One of the features of the night's entertainment was the favor dance during which all of the dancers carried brightly colored balloons. The balloons floating gently over the heads of the dancers added greatly to the decorative scheme of the hall and the occasional bursting of the balloons brought additional gaiety to the scene. The following officers in charge of the party earned by their untiring efforts, the congratulations of all present upon their success of the affair: Gertrude O'Connor, general manager; Helen Moran, assistant general manager; Alice Raygan, floor director; Grace Fuller, assistant floor director; Mary Tighe, chief aid; Katherine Fulkner, Anna McQuade, Grace Crowley, Mary Goodwin, Helen McQuade, Anastasia Murphy, Ruby Spencer, Edna Hagstrom, Kathleen Jennings, Katherine Grey and Katherine Leary, aids. The matrons were Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. Katherine Leary, Mrs. Martin Cryan and Mrs. Charles Kimball.

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OLD MAN HERRMAN LOST HIS FAVORITE PIPE AND FOUR FRONT TEETH TODAY WHEN AUNT SARAH PEABODY, LEADER OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF PIPE SMOKING, WENT RAIDING.

JEWETT FILES BILL FOR WAS KILLED BY TRAIN IN LOWELL MASONIC CLUB

SALARY INCREASE SOUTH LOWELL ELECTS OFFICERS

(Special to The Sun.) STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 12.—A bill filed by Representative Victor F. Jewett of Lowell is adopted by the legislature Col. Alfred F. Poole, commissioner of public safety, will receive a \$2500 increase in salary. Representative Jewett has filed the bill on the petition of former Representative Leo S. Hamberger of Boston, providing for an increase from \$5000 to \$7500 for Col. Poole. The largest sum paid to any commissioner in the state house is that of \$8000 to Payson Smith, commissioner of education. HOTT.

KNIGHTS HOLD REGULAR MEETING

Lowell Council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, held its regular meeting last evening. Grand Knight John E. Hart presiding. A report of progress on the minstrel show, to be held in the Auditorium on the evening of Jan. 19 was read, and the announcement made that the new quarters will be formally opened on January 20. The following committee was appointed to take charge of the minstrel, the proceeds of which will be for charitable purposes: Floor director, Edward A. Callahan; assistants, Patrick J. Nevin and Cornelius Connolly; chief aids, Edward D. Hart, T. James Connaughton, Patrick F. Flannery and Leo J. Callahan. The announcement that January 19th had been definitely determined as the date for the formal opening of the new home was received with universal approval and with a competent committee in charge a "red letter" event is anticipated.

DEBATE POSTPONED Owing to the inclement weather, the scheduled debate between the members of the Greenhidge Debating society of the Lowell high school and the team representing the Salem high school has been postponed indefinitely. The Lowell debaters who planned to make the trip to Salem were Alice Sheehan, 24, Marie Sokolow, 23 and Dorothy Donohue, 23. Miss Ethelred A. Willmott is faculty adviser of this year's Greenhidge Debating society.

NO SCHOOL SIGNAL. There was no school of the public schools today, due to the storm. The "no school" signal was sounded on the fire alarm system at 7:15 a. m. and 12:45 p. m., although not audible in many sections of the city. Particularly was this true this morning, when a number of teachers and a few pupils of several schools reported as usual, saying they had not heard the signal, although making an effort to do so.

H. Stanley Chrysler has been elected president of the Lowell Masonic club for a term of two years. With him the following officers will serve: Vice-president, Edgar H. Olson; secretary, Matthew Johnson; treasurer, Will W. Love; auditors, William H. Ward, 2nd, and G. C. Morris; directors for three years, Walter Jewett and Paul H. Harford. The 15th annual meeting of the club was held this week, at which yearly reports were submitted and the new quarters were inspected.

Pictures of robbers, badly and so on come into use on Christmas cards in 1922.

The mouth of a full-grown whale, when wide open, measures 12 by 14 feet.

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VERY DELIGHTFUL TRIP THE AMERICAN LEGION

Burton Holmes Takes Audience on Journey Through Chosen and Manchuria.

Dressed in the accepted and usual every-day garb of a gentleman of Korea and later in the mourning robes of the same country, signifying deep sorrow and was brought on by the death of his father, Burton Holmes, lecturer, last night at the Memorial Auditorium took his audience on a delightful and interesting journey through Chosen and Manchuria.

It was the second Holmes travelogue in a series of three that are prominent in this year's New Year holiday season and it was given in an atmosphere that accentuated the high lights of this little-known country across the Pacific. The colored slides and motion pictures used by the lecturer make up a marvelous collection and Holmes always may be counted on to show scenes never before brought before the eye of the general public.

So it was last night, especially in the second half of his lecture, which depicted wonderful sights in old Korea—the diamond mountains, Buddhist strongholds in the hills, the timber industry along the Yalu river, the old Korean capital, Seoul, now called Keijo and interesting side trips to royal homes of ex-rulers, through imperial gardens and a visit to the White Buddha.

Interesting indeed were the pictures of every-day life in Dairen, the great Japanese port of Manchuria. Modern docks, trains of Pullman cars, acres of warehouses, metropolitan hotels and fine business establishments made for an astonishing panorama of 20th century progress. The great bean mill of Dairen also was a source of interest. Here the soy beans are milled into great cakes, comprising one of the greatest industries of the country. The soy bean is called the source of Manchuria's prosperity and it would seem so.

The beautiful country club at Dairen was visited and it was most tantalizing to watch golfers and tennis players spending carefree hours while New England abates and prays for the time when spring comes north again this year.

The city of Mukden was reached in due time in the travelogue and here, too, many amazing sights were depicted by lantern slides and motion pictures. A little journey to the north brought the audience face to face with the biggest open-cut coal mine in the world and the Anshan iron mines where Manchurian pig iron is made.

New educational institutions, in which modern methods of teaching and development have become standardized, were shown and told of by the lecturer in the second part of the program. A beautiful and interesting journey was taken to the western coast where the country and the habits of the people were in direct contrast to the experience of Dairen and strange country-side scenes showed Korean women washing garments of their men in river waters.

It was a delightful lecture about a country that rapidly is assimilating modern ideas and throwing off centuries of custom that have been a barrier to its advancement.

Holmes comes to the city for the third and last time this season on Thursday evening, January 18, when his travelogue will be based upon the subject, "Great Sights East of Suez," the custom of which King wrote, when he said, "Ship me somewhere east of Suez, where the best is like the worst, where there are no ten commandments and a man can raise a thirst."

BOGDONOFF CASE HEARING POSTPONED
At the request of defendant's counsel, Quia Howard and Rogers, the hearing on the Bogdonoff arson case, originally planned for Monday next in the Superior court, has been postponed until January 22.

TEXTILE SCHOOL PLAY
The date for the presentation of the annual play of the Lowell Textile school, has not been definitely set. The custom of the past years, it is probable that it will take place some time in February. The name of this year's play is to be "If I Instance," a comedy with many pleasing features. The cast will be announced in the near future.

Local Post Outlines Plans for Year—Col. Stevens Champions Capt. Blake

A meeting of the members of committees and boards of the American Legion was held at the Washington club last night to outline their policies for the coming year.



JOSEPH A. MOLLOY
Commander

joyed by the men, many of whom had come directly from work to the meeting. After the dinner, Commander Joseph A. Molloy called the meeting to order and a general discussion was held in regard to the many and various duties falling upon the committees. The officers outlined their projects for the season and it appeared, at the close of the meeting, that a very good start had been made.

Colonel Charles A. Stevens told the men of his testimony in regard to the charge made at the Brides hearing in Boston that Captain Blake had been indicted at a Legion meeting here in Lowell in a drunken condition. Colonel Stevens denied the charge and stated that he had been a witness at the hearing and had denied the charge there. Colonel Stevens' denial of the charge was welcome news to the Legion men for they held Capt. Blake in high regard.

The list of committees, as announced last night by Commander Molloy, are as follows:
Executive—Dr. Joseph P. Kearney, Fred A. Estes, Col. Charles A. Stevens, Cornelius Barnes, George Whelton, Donald MacIntyre, Alvin H. Weyer, Harold O'Brien, James P. McCready, Zavier A. Desalle, George Faneuil, Dr. Anson Bryant, Joseph Coughlin, Percy J. Wilson, Dr. R. J. Gendreau, officers of the post and Post Commanders Garity, Powers and Faulkner ex officio.

Trustees—Dr. John Lambert, Dr. Howard W. Jewett and Andrew Jenkins. Graves—William Lyons, chairman; Bruce Barnes and William P. Miner. Membership—Stephen Kearney, chairman; John O'Grady, John T. McDermott, George Garmen, Emil Lamoureux.

Veterans bureau—John O'Grady, chairman; Dan Martin, Napoleon Vigeant, James O'Donoghue, John Walsh. Entertainment—Allan Dunne, chairman; William Gookin, Fred C. Church, Jr., Horatio B. Leggat, Jack McArdle, Paul Angelo.

Finance—Martin McCarthy, chairman; Richard D. Donoghue, George O. Robertson, Arthur H. Eno, Allan Eveleigh. Grievance—J. H. Gilbride, chairman; Don Overlock, Thomas McCullough. Relief—Dr. C. B. Livingston, chairman; Dr. Nathan Pulsifer, Patrick J. O'Heary, Michael H. Harrington, Dr. S. R. Waller.

Honorary—M. H. Harrington, chairman; Warren Churchill, George Crowell, Collin H. MacKenzie, Arthur Moran.

Inscriptions on animals' bones are the earliest form of Chinese writing. Rice paper is not made from rice but from the bark of a tree which grows in Formosa.

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No. 2 can	LEGS OF VEAL, "White Cuts," Cut from Meaty Midge Veal, lb. 25¢	Radishes, beh. 6¢	Florida "Sweet" Oranges, doz. 25¢
Best Whole Rice, 5 lbs. 33¢	FRESH KILLED CHICKEN, cut up, lb. 35¢	Florida Grapefruit, juicy, 3 for 25¢	
Princess Macaroni, 3 pkgs. 25¢	BEEF FOR STEW, lb. 10¢		
Rich Old Cheese, lb. 25¢	FRESH MEATY CHUCK, to Roast, lb. 14¢	FISH DEPT.	
Best Parlor Brooms, each 53¢	Fresh Pigs' Snouts, lb. 10¢	Fresh Open Oysters, qt. 59¢	
Large Jar Pure Honey, each 25¢	Fresh Pigs' Tails, lb. 13¢	Finnian Haddies, lb. 12¢	
TEA, mixed or plain, 3 lbs. 99¢	Fresh Pigs' Feet, lb. 10¢	Fresh Smelts, lb. 25¢	
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SAYS ILLEGAL EMPLOYMENT OF LABORERS STILL EXISTS

Dana Will Not Release 272 Pays Held Up Until Given Conclusive Proof That 1923 Government Will Live Up to Civil Service Rules and Regulations

In spite of the fact that this year's city government, headed by Mayor John J. Donovan, has assured the civil service commission that no irregularities will occur during the administration, the employment of laborers, Commissioner Dawson Dana has not released 272 pays held up since last year, for the reason that he maintains illegal employment still is going on.

About one week ago the city treasurer, city solicitor and city auditor conferred with Mr. Dana relative to the relationship between the city and the civil service commission and expressing to him the desire of the mayor to have these 272 pays released. They assured the commissioner it is the mayor's intention to see to it that civil service rules are followed, whenever laborers are employed during his administration and in return for this

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PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY GEN. DE GOUËTTE FROM DUESSELDORF

Establishes State of Siege Throughout Newly Occupied Territory—German Laws Remain in Force—Business Goes on at Essen—Crisis May Come Tomorrow When Miners Receive Their Pay

Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press.)—Gen. DeGouette, who issued a proclamation from Duesseldorf establishing a state of siege throughout the newly occupied territory. The German laws, it was stipulated, would remain in force.

In general Essen was transacting its usual business today without interruption as the French arrangements for control do not affect the ordinary life of the town, which at present feels only the inconvenience caused by the commandeering of the main buildings. It is thought by some observers that the critical day will come tomorrow when the miners will receive their pay and when it is expected many of them will also receive notice to quit from the employer.

The effect of this action combined with the efforts of the French communists to create trouble, is something which even the most experienced observers are not attempting to forecast.

Feeling of Relief
LONDON, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press.)—An unmistakable feeling of relief that the first 24 hours of France's Ruhr adventure passed without a breach of the peace, was evident here today.

Although the French movement continues to be widely condemned and deplored, there is no general desire to see Great Britain's ally involved in conditions which would seriously add to her burdens.

Although a majority of the press upholds any co-operation by Great Britain in the Ruhr, it cannot be ignored that there exists in Great Britain a strong anti-German sentiment. The Morning Post and the Daily Mail, which the French success and reiterate an uncompromising distrust of the Germans. The Post says:

"The United States government can afford to take down the Stars and Stripes from the fortresses of Ehrenbreitstein, but 'The Watch on the Rhine,' which to Americans is the fragment of a song, to the Frenchman and to the Englishman means the holding of a pass in the interests of civilization."

On the other hand, the Times, which in common with most of the other papers severely condemns the French, remarks that the latter's course aroused anger in the United States and alarmed neutral opinion.

Poincare Sounds Warning
PARIS, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) France at last has a grip on the "productive guarantee" she has sought since the early part of 1921. The

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Second Special Grand Jury Summoned by Attorney General Summarily Discharged

RUM FLEET SELLS LIQUOR

Signs Hung Over Sides of Ships Quote Prices for Scotch, Rye, Champagne

22 Vessels Loaded to Gunwales With Liquor Off Sandy Hook

Thousands of Cases Landed—Washington Dry Officials Demand Investigation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—An immediate report was demanded by prohibition officials here from the New Jersey headquarters, concerning dispatches printed in today's papers describing the extensive landing of smuggled liquors on the New Jersey coast.

Ham-Running Fleet Off Shore
HIGHLANDS, N. J., Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press.)—The great rum fleet of 22 vessels, which bobbed up yesterday off Sandy Hook while the New York dry naval squadron was being reorganized, was still standing off the Ambrose channel lightship today, ready for business as usual.

While prohibition forces were taking to New York four small boats captured last night while attempting to land liquor, the rest of the fleet of 20 were preparing to race back and forth between the rum carriers and shore.

Observers ashore estimated that

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ASH COLLECTIONS AGAIN POSTPONED

It was believed yesterday that the postponed collection of ashes and waste would begin next Monday, but today Supt. Doherty of the street department announced another postponement, "until further notice." Every ash division team is being used in the removal of snow and at present it is not possible to say when these teams will be available for their "usual work." Whenever a schedule is formed it will be published in the daily press.

MAYOR NAMES KLAN LEADERS

Mer Rouge Chief Executive Gives Names of Members of Hooded Band

McKoin, Skipwith, Harp and Ivey Held Up and Disarmed Three Citizens

BASTROP, La., Jan. 12.—Robert L. Dade, mayor of Mer Rouge, today named Dr. B. M. McKoin, Captain J. K. Skipwith, Kelly Harp and Ed Ivey as members of a K. K. K. band which held up and disarmed Walt Daniel, W. C. Andrews and Harry Neelis, Mer Rouge citizens, near the village of Gallion, La., several months prior to the kidnapping and murder of Daniel and Thomas F. Richard last August.

Dade had admitted previously that he was a member of the Klan band. "Can you say whether J. D. Higgenbotham was with the band?" George S. Union, assistant attorney general, asked.

"I am not positive," Dade replied. "What was the purpose of the trip?" "We started out to investigate a report that a negro was running a gambling house in which white persons were permitted to gamble with negroes."

"Did you find that condition to exist?" "No; the house was dark."

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WILL NOT CALL ANOTHER ONE

Discharge Followed Request of Minority of Jurors That They Be Discharged

Foreman Tells Court Jury Not Told Why They Were Dismissed

Told Judge No True Bill Found Against Pelletier or Coakley

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—The special grand jury which has been reviewing the criminal aspects of the evidence on which Joseph C. Pelletier was removed as district attorney of Suffolk county, was discharged summarily by Attorney General J. Weston Allen today. Mr. Allen made no public statement of the reasons for his action which came after announcement by a minority of the jurors that certain things which had

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GERALDINE FARRAR HAS ARRIVED IN LOWELL

Geraldine Farrar, former Metropolitan star and for several months a glittering jewel in the world of cinema, arrived in Lowell early this morning to fulfill her concert engagement at the Memorial Auditorium this evening.

Her special Pullman, with baggage car attached, came in on the New York train at 3:30 a. m. or, at least, the train was due at that time, but in reality was an hour or so behind schedule, due to heavy snows.

"Through whirling snow flurries and blinding drifts, we worked our way to the Middlesex street depot this forenoon to wish, if so possible,

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STREET RAILWAY COMPANY ADMITS TEMPORARY DEFEAT BY LATEST SNOW STORM

Many Track Blockades—Stalled Automobiles Obstruct Out of Town Lines—Fifty or More Trucks Buried in Snowdrifts Along Many Highways Leading Out of Lowell

Eastern street railway division chiefs mournfully admitted temporary defeat today at the unexpected and unheralded onslaught of Lowell's latest blizzard with many vicious collaborations.

Transportation lines in every direction were badly blocked by vast quantities of snow and heavy snow that filled the narrow lanes previously crowded with drifts and big snow piles scraped up by blows and tired citizen shovellers. As a result of this storm

the 15th of the season—any sort of decent car service was impossible. Traffic on outside lines to Lawrence, North Chelmsford, Haverhill, Chelmsford Centre and Reading was in a bad way all the morning, with no definite movement of cars on any sort of schedule and delays frequent and long.

On many connecting lines, including the Lawrence division, motor trucks to the number of 50 or more all told, are reported to be stalled in deep snow drifts and frozen up in some cases covered by former heavy snows and last night's addition.

One leading line has many trucks abandoned along the route, and passengers, partly buried in drifts along the highways. Others are seen

on the sides of the roads on the Billerica-Boston line, with one heavy truck lying on its side in a brook on the Bedford road.

All Lines Handicapped
Every local street railway line was handicapped today as never before in many years. Even last winter's blizzard did nothing much worse to the transportation system of the city and country.

Although all 12 of the local division's snowblows and the sweepers were out this season as usual, together with hundreds of trackmen, sweepers and shovellers, they couldn't keep the tracks clear for anything like decent traffic on a single line in the city.

Passenger traffic, happily, was not heavy at any time, many commuters preferring to walk than wait for cars that failed to appear.

The storm was so severe at 7 o'clock, and the streets piled high with snow, that the no-school alarm was sounded, and no conditions continued to grow worse it was sounded again this afternoon.

Early morning traffic was hampered

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MOVES FOR 5-CENT FARE

Mayor Curley of Boston Submits Petition—Bill to Repeal "Daylight Saving"

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Mayor Curley submitted to the state legislature yesterday his petition for the establishment of a five-cent fare on the Boston Elevated. Any deficit to be made up by local taxation on the cities and towns where the lines are located.

A bill to repeal the "daylight saving" statute was filed by Representative Ashby of Deerfield and Hooper of Duxbury.

Another bill to regulate the coal business and for the protection of the public from discrimination and extortionate prices, was filed yesterday. Representative Harold B. Goewey of Pittsfield, submitted a measure which provides for the licensing of dealers in coal and coke by the licensing authority in the city or town in which they do business, for the suspension or revocation of licenses upon conviction of violation of the statute or of an adjusted compensation bill.

the regulations of the fuel administration.

The licensee aggrieved by suspension or revocation might appeal to the justice of the district court of his district, whose decision would be final and binding upon all parties. Pending such appeal and decision thereon the license would be suspended.

Petitions From Veterans

The Massachusetts department of the American Legion and the United Spanish War Veterans are joint petitioners for many items of legislation at the state house, including these:

That any city or town may appropriate money for the decoration of the graves of members of either of these organizations.

For more favorable terms for the retirement of veterans from the public service.

For a minimum credit of 5 per cent for veterans in civil service examinations.

That the proposed memorial to Col. C. W. Whitteley and Privates Perkins and Dillay include also the name of Ralph Talbot of Weymouth, killed in action and recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor.

For preference in civil service for all eligible veterans over all other applicants but disabled veterans.

For the passage by congress of an adjusted compensation bill.

For a preferential rating of 5 per cent for disabled veterans in civil service examinations.

For a repository for military records in the national archives.

For a credit of two points for veterans in examinations for promotion in the civil service.

For the establishment of an employment bureau for veterans under the state department of labor and industries.

For preference for dependent widows of veterans over all others in examinations for non-competitive positions.



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Also for pleurisy, pains in the chest, side or back, neuralgia, inflammation, muscular rheumatism, bruises, swellings, frost bites, chilblains, stiff joints and muscles. The favorite family liniment for over 65 years.



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STATION WNY SCHENECTADY

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REORGANIZE U. S. WORSTED CO.

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—The plan for re-

organization of the United States

Worsted Co., proposed by its board of

directors, was accepted yesterday at a

meeting of stockholders, according to

announcement by President Myron

Wood. The meeting was behind closed

doors. The president said that two-

thirds of the stockholders were re-

corded in favor of the plan, which pro-

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SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. CHARLES D. SLATTERY

The many friends of Mr. Charles D. Slattery, manager of the Talbot Clothing Company, will be grieved to learn of the death of his wife, Katherine P. (Connor) Slattery, last evening at her home, 73 Pleasant street, after but a few days' illness. Indeed, when illness first seized her it was felt that it was but a slight indisposition and that her robust constitution would ultimately restore her to complete health. Late yesterday afternoon, however, a decided change came in her condition and despite her medical aid, she passed away, surrounded by her family. She was the daughter of the late Michael and Elizabeth (Horn) Connor, and a life long resident of the Belvidere section and a member of one of its best known families. Mrs. Slattery was a woman of many estimable qualities, deeply interested in her family and in the welfare of those in distress. With a most engaging personality and radiantly happy in the enjoyment of her splendid little family, she drew about her a circle of friends who esteemed her for her fine qualities of mind and heart and who will sorely deplore her untimely demise. To cut down in the prime of life such a splendid type of womanhood when the future held so much of promise to her, is sad indeed. Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Frances L. and Alice; one son, Charles; two sisters, Mrs. James S. McNabb and Miss Stella A. Connor, a teacher in the public schools; four brothers, Rev. William A. Connor of St. Paul's church, Dorchester; Matthew P., the well known painter; Francis A., superintendent of buildings for the city of Lowell, and Thomas J. Connor, also two nephews, Walter S. and John H. Connor. Funeral notice elsewhere.

PATRICK CROWE DIED SUDDENLY TODAY

Patrick Crowe, a popular employee of the Lowell Bleachery for a number of years and well known resident of this city, died suddenly at 6:30 o'clock this morning, at his home, 158 Appleton street. Mr. Crowe worked all day yesterday and this morning got up at his usual hour and at that time he seemed in good health. A few minutes later he was seized with a weak spell and passed away before medical assistance reached him. The body was viewed by Medical Examiner T. H. Smith.

Mr. Crowe was about 75 years of age and had been a resident of this city a great many years. He leaves behind him a wife, Mrs. Mary Crowe, and two daughters, Mrs. Marie Cox and Mrs. Bridget Perry of Australia. The remains were removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 638 Gorham street.

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Fresh Wax Beans, qt. 23c
Fresh Kale, pk. 35c
Fresh Spinach, pk. 45c

CABBAGE FREE WITH CORNED BEEF
Small Lean Fresh SHOULDERS 16c Lb.
Lean Beef BOSTON ROLLS No waste, no bones, lb. 13c, 15c
HOT BAKED BEANS Right from the ovens, 25c qt.

5c Bag, 7 1/2c Box

FUNERAL NOTICES

MURRAY—Died in this city January 11, at 29 Whipple street, James H. Murray. Funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 638 Gorham street, at 9:30 o'clock. At St. Peter's church at 10 o'clock. A high mass will be celebrated. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

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MURPHY—The funeral of William H. Murphy will take place Saturday morning from the home of his sister, Mrs. Julia McCook, 39 Lincoln street, at 8:15. At St. Peter's church a funeral high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9:45. The body will be placed in the tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker William A. Mack in charge.

MURPHY—Died Jan. 10, at his home, 34 Fisher street, Martin J. Murphy, beloved husband of Margaret E. (Copley) Murphy. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of his sister, Mrs. Julia McCook, 39 Lincoln street, at 8:15. At St. Peter's church a funeral high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9:45. The body will be placed in the tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

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"Doctor, I Want Teeth I Can Eat With"

A man came into this office some time ago and made the above statement. He said he had two sets of teeth and could not eat with either of them. I made him a set and he came in the office later and said they were the only ones he could keep in his mouth while eating. In fact he could chew peanuts and eat apples without the least trouble. The reason for this is my particular method of taking impressions, study of the shape and relation of the jaws, and correct articulation of the teeth.

Now, I can make you a set of teeth just as good as his. If your plate drops or rocks come in, for I make a specialty of difficult cases and will examine your mouth and give you advice free of charge.

The price for sets of teeth is \$3 up. Gold crowns \$5. Fillings 50c up. Teeth extracted painlessly free, when plates are ordered.

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The offertory William J. Gookin and "Domingo Jesu Christe" and after the elevation Mrs. Philip Murphy rendered "O Meum Pasionem." As the body was being borne from the church the choir sang "Te Profundus," the solo being sustained by James E. Donnelly. Miss Marion Ryan presided at the organ. The Street Carriers' union and Ancient Order of United Workmen were represented by Thomas Cullen, Miles Moloney, Edward Lachar, Thomas McGee, James Quinn and Philip Hanley. The banners were Thomas Boulger, John Cusack, James Flanagan, James O'Neil, John Vann, Michael Healey, John Burns and John Murphy. The ushers at the house and church were John Joyce and Joseph Telf. At the close of the service the cortege wended its way to St. Patrick's cemetery where committal services were conducted in St. Bridget's chapel by Very Rev. Fr. Tigue, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Hammersley, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Duffy, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Connor, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Doherly, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Flynn, O.M.I., Rev. Fr. Coffey, O.M.I., and Rev. Fr. McCoy, O.M.I. The body was later lowered in the recessed tomb. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

BRIDGES—The funeral of Edward B. Bridges took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Gingras, 230 St. Louis street, and proceeded to St. Louis church where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. Eugene J. Vincent. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. At the offertory the Jesu was rendered by Mrs. O. J. David, assisted by the choir. Miss Ida Mongrain presided at the organ and the choir was under the direction of Mr. O. J. David. There were several beautiful and appropriate funeral offerings from friends and relatives. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Thomas Bridges, Frank Bridges and Francis Bridges, sons of the deceased, Arthur Bridges, son-in-law, and Philip McGingras, non-in-law, and Philip McGingras, son of the deceased. Attending the funeral were friends and relatives from Boston, New York city and Springfield. The burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

BARON—The funeral of Hector Baron took place this morning from the home of his mother, Mrs. Alice Baron, 1 Racine place. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 8 o'clock by Rev. Fr. A. Nolin, O.M.I. The choir, who also presided at the organ, rendered the Gregorian chant, the solo being sustained by Mr. Pepin. The following members of the Angel Guardian society: Frederick Wright, Albert Lafontaine, Joseph and Leo Malville, Leo Soucy and Adrien Caire. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles Delisle, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

WARREN—The funeral of Mrs. Melina J. Warren took place from her home, 25 Princeton street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Percy E. Thomas, pastor of the First Congregational church. The floral offerings were numerous. The bearers were Arthur Bartlett, Howard M. Bartlett, William Redlin and Otis W. Butler. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HAYES—The funeral of Virginia Hayes took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, John J. and Elizabeth (File) Hayes, 23 Sargent street. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

GOETTE—Henry Goette died yesterday at his home, 133 Perkins street, aged 40 years. He is survived by his wife, Elvira (Rousseau) Goette, his sister, Mrs. Elvira Goette, and four daughters, Misses Malvina and Yvonne Goette, five sons, Eugene, Alvin, Alfred, Leo and George Goette; three brothers, Elmer Goette of Grandview, P. Q., Albert Goette of this city and Joseph Goette of Chelmsford, O.; a stepbrother, Alfred Veyette of Labrador, Canada, and three sisters, Mrs. Ethel, Canada, and three sisters, Mrs. Jeffrey Carpenter of Lowell, Mrs. Alma Lamy and Mrs. Josephat Mathon of this city.

SIMPSON—Died in Worcester, Jan. 11, James L. Simpson, aged 72 years. Funeral notice later. James L. Simpson, a resident of North Billerica for the past 40 years, died late yesterday afternoon at Worcester, aged 72 years. He is survived by four sons, Edwin P. of North Billerica, H. Willard of Lowell, Paul R. of North Billerica and Fred T. Simpson in the U. S. Navy; also five daughters, Mrs. Alena M. Sullivan, Mrs. Lillian Carlson, Henrietta K. of North Billerica and Josephine all of Lowell, and five grandchildren. The body will be brought to Saunders funeral home, 217 Appleton street, this city.

DESJARDINS—Eleonore Desjardins died yesterday at the Lowell isolation hospital, aged 26 years. She is survived by her father, Godfrey Desjardins, of this city. The body will be removed today to the home of Mrs. Samuel Renuud, 15 Grand street, by Undertakers Amelie Archambault & Sons.

MURPHY—William H. Murphy, a resident of Chelmsford Centre for about 21 years, died last night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Julia McCook, 39 Lincoln street, after a short illness, aged 63 years. He leaves besides his wife, Elvira, three sons, Samuel, Samuel Renuud, 15 Grand street, by Undertakers Amelie Archambault & Sons.

TRIBUTE TO MR. F. HAMMERSLEY
Good-bye, dear "Ballyearn,"
On how for you well yearn.
We'll hear no more your kindly greeting.
You gave your friends at every meeting.
THIS LITTLE FRIENDS.

January Half Price Sale of MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
Still Going On
Chemise, Step-ins, Bloomers, Night Gowns, Petticoats, Camisoles, Princess Slips, in a variety of styles, at a saving of just half. Second Floor

THE FIRST SPRING HATS ARRIVE
Chic, gay little models in taffeta, straw, haircloth, satin. All the newest early Spring colors, chocolate and golden brown, gray, navy and changeable blue and black. Mostly small toque and mushroom and off the face shapes with trimmings of feathers, aigrettes, crystal pins, flowers, and embroidery.
\$3.95 \$5 \$7.95 up

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HOME OF THE GREATEST VALUES

TIMELY SALE OF Sample Knitted Underwear
FOR MEN, WOMEN, BOYS, GIRLS
At the Lowest Possible Price Levels

- MISSES' FORREST MILLS UNION SUITS, silk and wool; values to \$3. Sample Price \$1.29
 - MISSES' FLEECE LINED UNION SUITS, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$1.25. Sample Price 79c
 - MISSES' VESTS AND DRAWERS, wool or silk and wool, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$2. Sample Price 69c
 - MISSES' UNION SUITS, VESTS, DRAWERS, heavy knitted jersey; values to 75c. Sample Price 39c
 - WOMEN'S VESTS, TIGHTS, SKIRTS, wool or silk and wool, in heavy and medium weight jersey; values to \$2. Sample Price 79c
 - MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, all wool. Shirts made double or single breasted style, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$3.50. Sample Price \$1.29
 - BOYS' UNION SUITS, wool or cotton and wool, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$3.50. Sample Price \$1.29
 - BOYS' FLEECE LINED UNION SUITS, heavy ribbed jersey, Forrest Mills brand; values to \$1.25. Sample Price 79c
- Street Floor —

100 HANDSOME Canton Crepe Dresses
Values to \$29.50
SPECIAL \$14.95

A remarkable collection of dresses just out of their New York boxes. Heavy quality crepe, in the new shades of beige, brown, ecru, also plenty of navy blue and black. All effective new styles and trimmings that are the fashion of the moment. Dresses pretty enough for any occasion. Sizes 16 to 44.

THREE EXCELLENT Coat Values
AT MARK-DOWN PRICES
\$10 FUR TRIMMED SPORT COATS, heavy woolen coatings, in rich brown with large fur collars. Heavy double seams, pockets, inverted plait backs, all round belts. Full silk linings and warm interlinings. Sizes 16 to 40.

\$19.50 GOOD CHOICE OF FUR TRIMMED COATS, sport and dressy models of mannish and soft pile fabrics. Several shades of brown, navy blue, black. Collars of racoon and other furs. Silk and satin linings. Sizes 16 to 42. Values to \$29.50.

\$39.50 PLAIN AND FUR TRIMMED COATS, of the most wanted materials, including Arabella, Normandie, Bolivia, Pedern. Some have large collars of beaver, badger, nutria, Australian opossum, caracul, astrachan. Black, navy blue, brown, taupe, gray. Heavy linings of satin and canton crepe. Many Betty Wales sample coats included. Values to \$39.50.

READY TODAY—613 PAIRS WOMEN'S HOSE
SILK AND WOOL—GLOVE SILK—PURE THREAD SILK
Full fashioned. Plain and fancy weaves. Black and colors. All sizes.
Values to \$1.39 \$3.50

927 PAIRS WOMEN'S \$2 HOSE—79c
SILK AND WOOL—THREAD SILK—WOOL
Black and colors. Reinforced heels and toes. All sizes.
Street Floor

January Half Price Sale in the CORSET SECTION
The best known makes of corsets, brassieres, bandeaux, pink and white, in plain and fancy models, at a saving of just half. Sales now going on. Second Floor

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That Brings Out Unexpected Opportunities for Worth While Savings.

BOYS' ALL WOOL CAPS, of gray and brown, assorted mixtures. Made with ear bands. \$1 value. Special 69c

SUITS for younger boys. Middy and Oliver Twist styles, made of good quality flannel, corduroy, tweeds. Sizes 3 to 8, \$1.98

BOYS' TWO TROUSER SUITS, made of heavy all wool mixtures. Nicely tailored, will fit right. Gray, green, brown. Sizes 8 to 17 years \$6.95

HEAVY SPORT JACKINAWs, for boys from 8 to 11. Good looking dark plaid patterns, made with side and muff pockets, all round belts, shawl or convertible collars. \$3.50 values. Special \$5.98

BLACK RUBBER RAINCOATS, for boys from 12 to 18 years \$2.75

BLACK RUBBER HATS, to match raincoats 50c

HIGH GRADE FLANNEL BLOUSES, for boys. Gray and khaki, cut full sizes and well made. 8 to 16 years 98c

ALL WOOL JERSEY SUITS, made middie style. Blue, brown, green, leathers with collars and cuffs of contrasting color. Sizes 3 to 8 \$3.98

PETER PAN TWEED SUITS are very practical garments for the little fellows from 3 to 8. Excellently made in Oliver Twist and middie styles. Green, grey, brown. Special \$2.98

BOYS' OVERCOATS, heavy woolen mixtures, in serviceable dark colors. Cut right and well made. Sizes 3 to 6 years. \$5 and \$6.50 values. Special \$3.98

Basement

FOOTWEAR FOR STORMY WEATHER

MEN'S RUBBERS, all sizes and styles 98c

WOMEN'S RUBBERS, all styles and sizes 69c

BOYS' RUBBER BOOTS, first quality \$1.98 to \$2.98

GIRLS' RUBBERS, sizes 11 to 2 59c

BOYS' RUBBER BOOTS, first quality \$2.50 to \$3.98

BOYS' STORM SHOES, high cut \$1.98 to \$3.98

Basement

CIDER MEN ARE JUBILANT

Makers of Refined Cider Win
Legal Battle Against Fed-
eral Government

Preserved sweet cider with the tang that tingles but not intoxicates scores heavily once more and the cider makers of the refined, non-alcoholic clan are not thinking of storm troubles now.

They've just won that long-contested legal battle against the dear old federal government and are going to get back a lot of money paid over illegally to said government under soft-drink war tax rulings made sometime ago after the war, but now quashed for keeps.

The winners of the big battle to have refunds made of taxes paid on preserved sweet cider (without alcohol) are jubilant today, and at least two legal decisions in Lowell are affected by the decision of Federal Judge Morton. They are Frank B. Jewett & Co., 21 West Adams street, and Boyle Bros., of 807 Pawtucket street.

Judge Morton, in ruling that preserved sweet cider should not be classed as a "soft drink," orders that \$218.16 be refunded to the Sterling Cider company of Sterling, Mass., as a tax illegally collected on cider under the "soft drink" classification by former acting collector of Internal Revenue Andrew J. Casey.

According to the court, "sweet cider" was known to the world as a beverage for centuries before the term "soft drink" was coined as applying to non-alcoholic beverages, and should not be classed as a "soft drink."

Judge Morton further states in his opinion that he has found that the term "soft drink" is a belief of comparatively recent origin. It connotes compounding or manufacture. I do not think it would be held to include such a well known and distinctive thing as cider.

The Sterling Cider company's lawsuit was a test case on the part of the national association of which the Ster-

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GLADYS LESLIE

"FATAL LOVE"

The darling of a million fans. In one of her best productions. Seven acts.

ETHEL CLAYTON in

"FOR THE DEFENSE"

Six reels of dramatic action.

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In latest episode of

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LEE MORAN Comedy

"WOMEN FIRST"

WANDA HAWLEY

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Franklyn Farnum

"GUN SHY"

ELMO LINCOLN in "TARZAN"

HAROLD LLOYD COMEDY

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Afternoon 1.45 Evening 7.45

ALL THIS WEEK

Wm. V. Waldron Presents

Phil Ott

Of the Famous Ott Family

and His

MUSICAL FLAPPERS

Mat. 1.15 Doors Open 7.15

1.45 Moving Pictures 7.45

2.15 Musical Revue 8.15

3.15 Weekly 9.15

3.30 Second Act Revue 9.30

A BIG 3-HOUR SHOW

PRICES Mat. 10c, 20c, 30c

Eve. 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c

SATURDAY—

CHILDREN'S MATINEE 10c

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CROWN THEATRE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

William Fox Presents

"The Fast Mail"

Thrills! Action! Speed!

"BUCK" JONES

And all-star cast.

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WILFRED LYTELL

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SAVE AS YOU PAY

Get In On These January Price Reductions

Two-fold value in getting the lowest price and paying the easiest terms. The down-payment is in itself a saving

Perfect floor samples and other excellent grade merchandise marked greatly below former prices



A Four-Piece
Chamber Suite

\$195

Plus American walnut, includes very large vanity case, large dresser, prettily low-bed and roomy chair-robe. Easy terms.

Three-Piece Living Room Suite

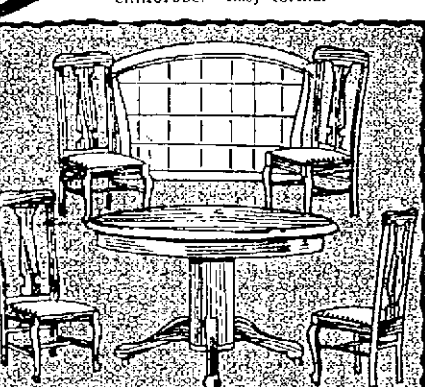
\$114.50

Excellent grade tapestry; spring construction throughout; fireside chair, extremely comfortable sofa and arm chair, all with loose cushions. Originally a floor sample, and priced very low. Liberal credit terms.

A Six-Piece
Dining Room Suite

\$129.50

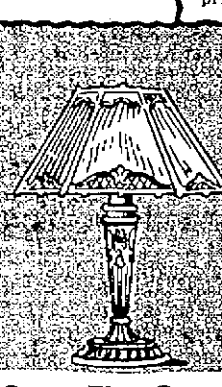
American walnut, comprising round table, large buffet and four chairs with brown leather seats. China cabinet extra.



Dining Room Table
and Four Chairs

\$35

Good quality golden oak table, and chairs, having leather seats. Solid, reliable construction. Reduced about 35% in price. Convenient credit terms.



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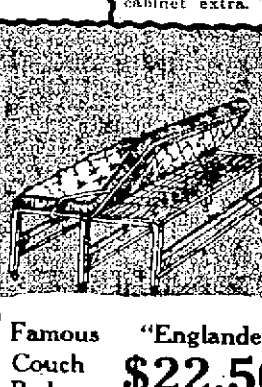
Painted shade on polished metal standard. For the living room table. Attractive scroll work base. At a greatly lowered price.

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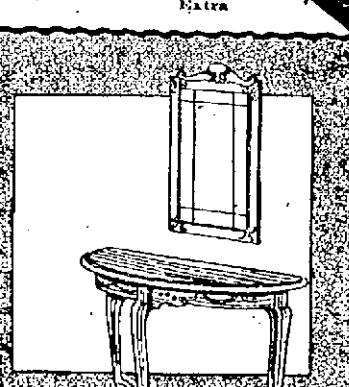
BED—equipped with sagless

spring; in battleship

enamel finish; guaranteed;

heavy, deeply quilted mattress

with green cover.



Console Set

An artistic addition to the living room or vestibule. Polychrome mirror with silk cord and tassels and polychrome Renaissance table. Low price for January.

\$25



Ten-Piece Dining Room Suite
of Great Dignity and Charm

\$235

Designed for greatest durability and "homeliest" appearance. American walnut, consisting of table, 60-inch buffet, serving table, china cabinet, five side chairs and arm chair have blue leather seats. Liberal credit arranged.

A Three-Piece
Living Room Suite

\$195

A big arm chair, fireside wing chair and comfortable sofa. Upholstered in pretty figured pattern. Discount on this item. Liberal credit.

MOLLER'S LOWELL AND CAMBRIDGE

MIDDLE STREET—Just Around the Corner

ling company and at least one Lowell concern, the Jewett company, are members, and the legal proceedings had the cordial support of this Lowell concern, according to one of its representatives, as well as the support of large cider makers in other parts of New England and the country at large. A Lowell manufacturer of preserved sweet cider explained today how the victory was won. He has been a member of the executive board of the American Cider & Vinegar association, which covers the entire country, for several years, although is not at the present time a board official.

The first plans of the national preserved cider makers were to bring legal action before the supreme court of the United States, but it was discovered that that high tribunal was fairly swamped with many other law suits and it might be years before any action could be secured in that channel to test the legality of the revenue ruling affecting the sweet cider makers' products.

The association then through its legal representative, former Senator Armstrong of New York, obtained a hearing with the attorney general of the United States, and it was decided to transfer the suit action to some federal court, preferably one in the eastern section of the country. That was done and the case was tried before Judge Morton in the federal court in Boston.

LEWIS TEAM WINS
NASHUA, N. H., Jan. 12.—The Nashua Five, headed by Buckey Jew, defeated the Wilton quintet here last night by the score of 20 to 5.

The banana has no seed at all.

SACO-LOWELL NIGHT
AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Saco-Lowell Night at the Y.M.C.A. last evening brought out more than 1000 employees of the big shops, who thoroughly enjoyed the varied program provided for them. The "get-together" spirit was rampant throughout the evening, from the opening of the order of the evening, eight teams played all the evening, eight teams played and representing the Saco-Lowell of fies, foundry, engineering department, carpenters, pattern-makers, office girls and production departments. The musical concert at 7.30 p. m. featured the following: A. Valcom, H. L. Woodman and W. Wyss. The pattern makers were represented by Roy Thurber, E. Hanson, L. de George, O. Krause, H. Robinson.

Other employees enjoyed pool, billiards, checkers and chess. Later all repaired to the "gym" where an entertainment was given that included several selections by a trio, Misses Margaret and Frances Goggin and Edward Harrington; vocal selections by James Shugrue and John Quinn, and a novelty song by Jack Weiss and Frank Rodding. A basketball game was staged between office and shop employees, the shop winning 12 to 15.

At 9.30 three bouts were put on under the direction of Leon Lamoureux, referee. Two of the bouts had the "Four Nelsons" engaged, but no decisions were given. "Sambo" vs. "Fred" were pitted against each other, and then the employees repaired to the main assembly hall for a buffet luncheon.

The committee in charge included H. Lomas, chairman; R. C. Willoughby, lobby; H. C. Jones, athletics; F. C. Crowe, entertainment; J. P. Randall,

basketball; H. Woodman, bowling; O. P. Greenwood, pool and billiards; J. Lamoureux, boxing, and Miss J. Thompson, refreshments.

MEMORIAL TO LATE

REV. MR. MATTHEWS

Called together to discuss plans for the erection of a suitable memorial tablet to the memory of a beloved pastor, Rev. N. W. Matthews, members of the Gorham Street M. E. church in the spring, gives its sanction.

last night voted in favor of erecting the memorial inside the church. It will be of bronze. Outside of the church some suitable stone or tablet of commemoration will be erected in place of the bronze memorial first suggested for placing outside the building. The money will be raised by the church as a labor of love.

The members have decided to rename the church the Matthews Memorial church as soon as the Primitive Methodist conference, which meets here in the spring, gives its sanction.

RE-OPENING

Monday Eve.

Jan. 15

BEKEITH'S
VAUDEVILLE

Week of Jan. 5, at 2 and 3—Tel. 28

Harry Hayden

AND COMPANY

in "THE LOVE GAME"

A Romantic Comedy

KELLAM & O'DARE

in "Changing the Blues"

WRIGHT & DIETRICH

Somewhat Different Singers

JOE ROBERTS

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MUSICAL ROWELLYS

Musical Oddities

Topics—Pathe News—Fables

STRAND
NOW

THE WILLARD HOTEL

An Attractive

Winter Sports Centre

CARNIVAL WEEK

Jan. 11 to 15

EAST JAFFREY, N. H.

LABONTE'S

School of Dancing for Children

TUESDAYS, Here Wed.

City Club, Merrimack St.

4 P. M.—Greek, Russian, Theory.

Tan, Nature, Technique.

The only school where you learn

the foundation

Private Hallroom Lessons

AUDITORIUM TONIGHT At 8.15

Geraldine Farrar AND HER CONCERT COMPANY

Tickets at Chalfoux's all day. At Auditorium box office after 5.30.

Tickets \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and 10% War Tax

THE BRIGHTEST SPOT IN TOWN—

RE-OPENING

Monday Eve.

Jan. 15

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WEDNESDAY

Count Von Der Schulenburg Arrested

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—Count Guenther von der Schulenburg, a supporter of Dr. Joseph Stuebs, the Rhineland separatist leader, was reported here today to have been arrested by German police while in occupied territory.

Memorial For "Uncle Joe" Cannon

DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 12.—Plans were announced today by the chamber of commerce for a memorial for "Uncle Joe" Cannon. It is proposed that the city donate the land and raise part of the money, although donations will be accepted from all over the country.

OFFICERS INSTALLED**BY LOWELL GRANGE**

The public installation of the recently elected officers of Lowell Grange took place last evening at a largely attended meeting held in Odd Fellows hall, Middlesex street. The installation ceremony was presided over by Mrs. Auguste Sarre, lady assistant steward of the Massachusetts state grange, who was assisted by Mrs. Esther Putnam, master of Olinford Grange; Mrs. Sarah K. Mooney, past master of Lowell Grange and Sister

Boyle and Sister Wells, both of Lowell Grange. The officers inducted into office were as follows: Blanche M. Jelly, over-seer; Nellie H. Parham, lecturer; Edwin L. Lantieri, steward; Jennie Joyce, assistant steward; Mrs. Mary O'Sullivan, chaplain; Amy H. Farley, treasurer; Mabel Lapointe, secretary; George Lapointe, gainkeeper; Margaret O'Sullivan, clerk; Edith Carpenter, Pomona; Ceres; Flora; Mrs. Alice Kiltredge, lady assistant steward; Olive Schofield and Alice Schick, executive committee; Gladys Whiting, pianist. At the close of the ceremony a social hour was enjoyed during which musical numbers were given by Mrs. Jessie Whitworth and Miss Brown. Mr. Whitworth accompanying on the piano. Interesting remarks were made by some of the officers and a buffet luncheon was served.

ATTACHMENTS FILED

The following attachments have been filed at the local registry of deeds of the sheriff this week: John Maropoulos vs. Athanasios Asmakapoulos and James Skordos, action of contract, \$2000; Patrick J. Canning, Boston, vs. John Horns, Wilmington, action of contract, \$1000; Frank MacIntyre vs. Henry B. Gray, action of tort or contract, \$5000; Commonwealth vs. Edith C. and Nathan Pulsifer, Lowell, action of contract, \$1000; Nellie Hooper, Boston, vs. Paul Plaz, Wilmington, action of contract, \$1000.

Swordfishes range from 4 to 15 feet long, the sword itself being as much as 3 feet long in some cases.

REGISTRATION NUMBERS

Charles F. Cross of Summer Street Has Lowest Number in Lowell

The latest edition of Massachusetts automobile registration numbers, published weekly by the Auto-List Co. of Boston, and containing the first 40,000 numbers issued in 1923, shows that Charles F. Cross of 277 Summer street, is the possessor of the lowest number in Lowell. Mr. Cross is the owner of a 1913 Packard coupe. His registration is 39. Charles Bunde of 278 Andover street, whose Buick sedan carries the registration 275, is the second lowest, while Fred A. Plummer of 68 Mansur street is next in order with 224. It is estimated that nearly 400,000

cars will be registered in this state this year. Last year, the highest registration in touring cars reached 21,120. There were 25,510 commercial vehicles registered and 10,770 motorcycles.

TELEPHONE ALARM
A slight blaze in a cupboard of a luncheon in Cardinal O'Connell parkway was responsible for a telephone alarm at 4:27 o'clock this morning. The blaze was caused by a gaslight and was extinguished before any damage was done.

DO YOU CHAFE?

Peterson's Ointment
To the multitude of friends who have used Peterson's ointment for eczema, itching skin and scalp, ulcers and old sores of long standing, Peterson says, "Tell your friends that Peterson's ointment will stop chafing in two minutes." All druggists, 35c, 60c, \$1.00, \$2.50, \$5.00, adv.

HIGHLAND CONG. BROTHERHOOD
Rev. William H. Tutbill, pastor of the Elliot Union Congregational church, is to be the speaker at the monthly meeting of the Highland Congregational Brotherhood Monday evening. His topic is "From Caligula to Stars." Preceding the address, supper will be served by a committee consisting of John H. Preston, Clarence A. McCoy and Arthur W. Garland.

STRIPPED FROCKS
Striped materials are greatly liked for spring. Frequently the stripes run horizontally on the blouse and vertically on the skirt. Stripes usually form their own trimming.

COUGH?
Try PISO's—relieves quickly—relief assured—no other—pleasant—does not upset stomach—no opiates. 35c and 60c everywhere.
PISO'S
for Coughs & Colds

Shipping Board Steamer Sunk

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The steamer Western Plains, in-bound from Philadelphia, today rammed and sank the shipping board steamer West Calumb in the East river, in a dense fog. The West Calumb, clearing for Constantinople sank beside a pier toward which it had been driven by the force of the collision. No one was injured.

Manufacturer Found Dead on Office Floor

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Zigmund Samuels, manufacturer of women's and children's apparel, was found on the floor of his office in the North End today, shot through the head. No motive for his act was given. His wife found the body.

Urge Changes in Packer Control Act

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Important changes in the tentative plans for administration of the packer control act are understood to have been urged by representatives of the big five packers sitting at a conference today with officials of the department of agriculture.

Mail Boxes

Postoffice department rules you must have them if you wish your mail delivered. We have just received some new ones.

75c and \$1.25

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PAINT & PAINT CO.

NO NEED TO BRAVE THE WEATHER.
JUST PHONE 6600 AND ASK OUR ORDER DEPARTMENT TO DO YOUR SHOPPING FOR YOU

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On Sale—9 to 10 A. M. Only

Fresh Shoulders Lean, 5 to 7-lb. Average b. 14c Limited

PORK Fresh light lean loins, any size. Fresh Lean Shoulders, lb. 16c 19c Lean Pork Butts, lb. 21c Lean Fresh Hams, whole or half, lb. 26c

BEEF Best Chuck Cuts, lb. 14c, 16c, 18c Prime Ribs—First rib, lb. 25c Second rib, lb. 22c Boneless Sirloin, lb. 37c Sirloin Tips, lb. 29c

Neck Cuts, boil or pot, lb. 10c, 12c

Boneless Boston Rolls, no bone, no waste, oven or pot roast, lb. 20c, 23c

LAMB Best Quality Yearling Legs, lb. 27c Yearling Fores, lb. 16c

VEAL Fancy Milk Fed Legs, whole or half, lb. 32c

CORNER BEEF Lightly Cured—Any Weight Lean, not Fat Fancy Brisket, 14c Stickers, lb. 11c thick ends, lb. 15c Fat Salt Pork, lb. 15c

SMOKED SHOULDERS Right out of the smoke house, lb. 13c

LARGE DISPLAY POULTRY Fresh Killed Roosters, lb. 29c Fancy Fresh Fowl, 3 1/2-lb. aver., lb. 30c

Choice Native CHICKENS 5-lb. average—lb. 45c

DUCKS, 5-lb. average, lb. 37c FRESH TURKEYS, 10 to 12-lb. size 53c

Fresh From Our Bakery BAKED BEANS, Piping Hot! Qt. 20c BROWN BREAD, Fresh Made, Loaf 8c

5-lb. Bag Blue Seal Graham Flour 27c 5-lb. Bag Luxur Pastry Flour 23c 5-lb. Bag Gem Flour 25c 5-lb. Pea Beans 42c 5 lbs. Rolled Oats 23c 5 lbs. Cornmeal 14c 5 lbs. Malt 19c 5-lb. Pkgs. Hops \$1.25 5 lbs. Seedless Raisins 75c 5 lbs. Muscatel Raisins 75c

Jem MARMALADE—Trial size 6c

500 Lbs MOLASSES MIXTURE CANDY, in 1-Lb. Box 25c

Fancy Creamery BUTTER, lb. 49c Fresh JEM Creamery BUTTER, lb. 52c

FRESH BAKED FIG BARS, lb. 11 1/2c Assorted Atlantic COOKIES, lb. 17c

Large Navel Oranges Sweet, juicy, Doz. 47c

Fresh Green CABBAGE, lb. 3c Fcy. Cape CRAN-BERRIES, qt. 12 1/2c

Saunders Public Market
THE LIVE STORE ON GORHAM ST.

CLEARANCE SALE

THE SALE OF SALES!

Suits and Overcoats

HERE'S a sale that will rank as the most important event of years. It's not because of the number of Suits and Overcoats we offer—but because of the high quality involved, together with radically reduced prices. This announcement should carry much weight in view of the rising woolen market and the resultant increase of all clothing for spring.



CHALIFOUX'S MEN'S Bargain Annex
Prescott Street Side

SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Everyone of them is out of regular stock. They are worth more than we ask and a money-back guarantee goes with each sale. You just can't lose.

We have marked down all Overcoats which have been selling for as high as \$24 to one big lot at

\$14.50

OVERCOATS REDUCED

Men's Popular Priced Suits
\$14.50 VALUES
Now \$9.95
\$19.50 VALUES
Now \$12.95
\$25.00 VALUES
Now \$16.95
Men's Bargain Annex

ALL HIGH PRICED MEN'S Overcoats MARKED DOWN

\$37.50 Values Now \$29.95
\$45.00 Values Now \$33.95

BOYS' SHOP—Prescott Street Side

Boys' Suits	Boys' Suits & Overcoats	Boys' Overcoats
\$9.45	\$12.75	\$15.95
\$12 Values	\$15 Values	\$20 Values

Boys' Suits \$6.95 Overcoats
AND SHEEPSKIN COATS
Former Prices to \$10.00

Junior Overcoats	Junior Overcoats	Fur Collar Russian Coats
\$4.95	\$5.75	\$7.45
Values to \$6.50	Values to \$8.50	

One Thousand MEN'S SUITS AND O'COATS
Former Prices to \$33.50
Every Garment Is Guaranteed All Wool
\$22.95

Boys' Sheepskin Coats \$8.95
With Wallaby Fur Collar, \$15 value

CHALIFOUX'S MEN'S & BOYS' SHOP

MEN'S BARGAIN ANNEX
E. & W. COLLARS. 5c
Each BLACK WOOL HOSE. 25c
Pair

ANNIVERSARY OBSERVANCE

O. M. I. Cadets Celebrate the
18th Anniversary of Their
Organization

"Once a Cadet, Always a
Cadet" Was Slogan at Last
Night's Meeting

Speeches, Bouts and General
Good Time—New Colonel
Appointed

"Once a cadet, always a cadet," was the counter-slogan and password at the 18th anniversary observance and reorganization meeting of the O. M. I. Cadets in Y.M.C.A. hall last night, and over 200 present and former "buddies" advanced and were recognized by the organizer and former director of Lowell's well known military organization, Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, O.M.I., who founded the juvenile soldier outfit almost a score of years ago and who, to this day, continues as commander of the little band of proper and happy wearers of the khaki and the broad military smile.

From veterans to participants in the joyful reunion, and to exchange of delightful reminiscences of the struggles of the past.



COL. WILLIAM DOOLEY

giving infant days of the cadets in the exclusive Helmholtz sector of Lowell, the headquarters of song and story, sided and abetted by additional fun ammunition in the shape of pugilistic encounters, beginning at 7:30 o'clock and continuing without camouflage until "taps" was sounded late in the evening.

Among the special guests present to enjoy the evening's festivities were Mayor John J. Donovan, Rev. James B. McGarrin, O.M.I.; Rev. Martin North, O.M.I.; Rev. Amos Robinson, O.M.I.; and Rev. Bro. Herman, C.F.X., who grasped the spirit of the occasion and watched and listened attentively to the various "goings on" of care-free Young America. John O'Brien and (Continued on Page 11)

BOXING BOUTS AT THE MASS. MILLS

Tonight's boxing program in the Massachusetts mills of the following well known mill artists: Johnny McDonough vs. Alphonse Mello; Freddie Eriente vs. Kid Riley; Altonwell Jackson vs. Young Chester; Lucky Lockwood vs. Johnny Perry. The drawing contest conducted by the soccer team of the mill will come to a close tonight and the winner announced during the bouts. The first encounter will be staged at 8 o'clock.

Why is a rasher of bacon ?

Why is it that at the best hotels and restaurants bacon is served with fish, game and other meats?

The answer is that bacon is so appetizing, it gives a zest to other foods, it enriches their flavors. Bacon adds the crowning touch to a good dinner, particularly if it is Arlington Bacon, dry cured in pure cane sugar and fine table salt. Arlington Bacon is selected from only the choice sides of young corn-fed porkers.

Try serving a rasher of Arlington Bacon with your meat and fish.

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Boston, Massachusetts
Established 1882

**Arlington
Bacon**

REORGANIZATION PLAN

United States Worsted Company's Plan is Accepted
By Stockholders

Lowell and North Chelmsford textile executives and employees familiar with matters covering the manufacture of woollens, learned today with considerable satisfaction that the United States Worsted company is to be reorganized on a more substantial basis. The worsted corporation has large mills in North Chelmsford, where U. F. Gilmore is the agent; extensive branch mills on Davidson street in this city, known as "The Muskelaquid Mills," and corporate branches also in Lawrence, Saugus and in Newton, where the "Saxon" brands of woollens are turned out.

The reorganization plan of the big woolen concern was accepted yesterday by approximately two-thirds of the stockholders present, representing about 60,000 shares. The vote in favor was 53,320 first preferred, 2388 second preferred and 528,646 common stock, or more than a majority in each instance.

Under the terms of this plan the present preferred stock and sinking fund income certificates, aggregating \$7,643,520, will be scaled down to \$6,328,200, of which \$2,584,400 will be 15-year 6 per cent debentures, \$2,194,600 first preferred stock, and the remainder second preferred.

The 613,920 shares of common stock will be reduced to about 116,000 shares. Heavy assessments on the stock issues will provide for about \$3,500,000 of new cash and the \$9,320,000 of notes and accounts payable will be taken care of.

New quick assets after the reorganization will aggregate \$4,600,000 and the plants and real estate will remain unchanged at \$4,878,020.

Holders of the first preferred are to be assessed \$20 a share, second preferred \$20 a share, and common \$1.50 a share.

In 1914 this corporation readjusted its capitalization and there was every indication that it would work out of its troubles satisfactorily. Earnings in the three years from 1917 to 1919, inclusive, ranged between \$1,000,000 and \$2,000,000 a year, but when the depression came along the company's loss is alleged to have mounted to \$3,939,859 in 1920 and \$2,697,400 in 1921.

Superintendent Fiske of the Muskelaquid mills, this city, told The Sun this

morning that he believed the reorganization plan would increase the prospects of the corporation's success in textile fields and lead the way to better things. He did not attend the meeting yesterday.

Agent B. F. Gilmore, the new agent at the North Chelmsford mills of the company, could not be seen this morning, being engaged in duties connected with the increasing output at these mills.

In an interview Superintendent Fiske stated that the general business outlook for woollens was promising and that a little later, following yesterday's reorganization of the United States Worsted company's finances, new officers will be elected to head the corporation and also a board of directors. Just who will be named to fill these important berths is not known in Lowell.

After the meeting for reorganization yesterday, it is said that numerous minority stockholders, headed by one Charles J. O'Malley, will at once organize what they propose to call "a protective committee," and it was intimated today in Boston financial channels that litigation of some kind may follow yesterday's adoption of the new financial program.

Geraldine Farrar Arrives

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leged, all good fortunes to Miss Farrar, to welcome her to Lowell and to speak plainly, sit with her for an interview. As a result we are able to chronicle the facts that she arrived this morning, she will sing at the Auditorium tonight and her car, without the baggage car, which will be sent to Boston, will be attached to a New Hampshire bound train very early tomorrow morning, for she wishes to go to Meridith.

The more fact that we were unable to see Miss Farrar, or even her private secretary or representatives and thus obtain the interview sought, already is forgotten, as it was fled away among the ever-growing accumulation of everyday failures. However, we should have appreciated seeing her, even though it was restricted to a fleeting glance.

Greeted at the door of her private car by a gentleman attached to her traveling party in the position of porter, we gave him a very friendly "Good morning!" and added a few perfunctory remarks about New England winters in general and the present one in particular.

"Would it be possible to see Miss Farrar?"

"He would see, and 'wouldn't we step in?' We would and did."

The car, the most of it we saw, is most attractively furnished and must be a most comfortable vehicle of transportation. Several minutes slipped by and the porter returned.

"She cannot see you this morning, sir."

"We highly valued the 'sir' for it dignified the profession followed by the fourth estate."

"How about the secretary; could he be seen?"

"No sir—sorry."

We were sorry, too, for it was so much warmer and more comfortable inside than in the blustery outdoors. And there were several things we had in mind to ask her—whether she planned to return to the Metropolitan, how she liked motion picture life, and other things.

We hesitated to inquire if Miss Farrar were indisposed. No, she was not. "Heavily day, isn't it?"

"Yes, sir; it is."

There was the "sir" again and it almost compensated fully for the bother of the trip.

Miss Farrar will sing beautifully at the Auditorium tonight—she always does and simply because she could not see us this morning, we hold no animus.

Four hours' hard thinking exhausts the faculties as much as ten hours of manual labor.

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MACARTNEY'S BASEMENT

The Pathway To Thrift

OUR BASEMENT

Department is not affected by Clearance Sale prices; the reason: Basement prices are always below the Clearance Sale prices. Listed below are a few of the many bargains in this department.

Men's Clothing

OVERCOATS—PLAID BACK

\$14.75 \$19.75

Suits \$12.75, \$14.75
Suits (2 Pants) \$17.75, \$19.75
Heavy Corduroy Pants \$2.48
Heavy Cheviot Pants \$2.98
Raincoats \$2.98

Boys' Clothing

Russian Overcoats (3 years to 8) \$2.98
Tan Chinchilla Overcoats \$4.98
School Overcoats (8 years to 16) \$5.49
Mellon Overcoats (fur collar) \$5.98
Mackinaw Coats \$5.98
School Overcoats (8 years to 16) \$6.98
Suits (2 pants) \$4.98, \$6.98, \$7.98
Odd Knicker Pants 98c, \$1.48, \$1.69
Corduroy Knickers (full lined) \$1.85
Middy and Peter Pan Suits \$1.98, \$2.98

R. J. MACARTNEY CO.

Men's Furnishings

Heavy Rib Shirts and Drawers, each 69c
Heavy Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, each 98c
Jersey Rib Union Suits (gray) 98c
Jersey Rib Union Suits (white) \$1.29
Heavy Merino Hose 25c
Heavy Cotton Hose 10c
Cashmere Hose 35c—3 for \$1.00
Percal Shirts 69c—3 for \$2.00
Flannel Work Shirts \$1.49
Heavy Sweaters, coat style or V neck \$2.85
All Leather Mittens, fleece lined 35c

Boys' Furnishings

Rib Union Suits 69c and 85c
Flannelette Waists (khaki and gray) 55c
Percal Waist 48c
Sport Hose 48c
Hockey Caps (all colors) 55c
Heavy All Wool Sweaters, with collar \$3.48
Pull-Over Sweaters (6 years to 10) \$1.00
Soft Collars (12 to 13½ neck) 2 for 25c

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Will Not Call Another One

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transpired in the jury room had served to defeat the purpose of the inquiry.

Martin J. McGuire, foreman of the grand jury, went before Judge Bishop in the superior court and said the jury was discharged without knowing why.

"We found no true bill against Pelletier, Conkey or (Daniel H. Conkey, an attorney) or the foreman announced before the court silenced him."

"On my honor," Foreman McGuire continued, "we acted as men in the grand jury room. Nothing irregular happened until yesterday's development. Whether the foreman referred to the action of the group of six jurors in going before the court yesterday and asking discharge or to some incident in the jury room was not clear."

Attorney General Allen, whose discharge of the jury today marked the second action of that kind which he had taken, with the only two special grand juries ever assembled by an attorney general in this state said he

would not call another because he would be in office only a short while longer.

The first extraordinary grand jury discharged by the attorney general was engaged in an inquiry of charges against officials of the Hanover Trust Co., now closed. The jurors were tampered with in personal interviews and by written communications. Mr. Allen said, and he obtained convictions for contempt of several officials of the bank.

In calling the special session which was dismissed today, the attorney general announced that the Pelletier removal proceedings and the Hanover Trust Co. case would be the principal matters taken up. The jurors for the term from persons who, before the supreme court, gave evidence of blackmail and extortion, accomplished and attempted, in which the name of Pelletier, Conkey and William J. Corcoran, former district attorney of Middlesex county figured, Pelletier and Conkey were disbarred as a result of the evidence in the former's extort proceedings. Corcoran is now under indictment here.

IMMIGRATION AND AMERICANIZATION

A branch of the state division of immigration and Americanization, recently established in Lowell and in charge of Charles S. Bodwell, secretary, has established a schedule of office hours which will be from 10:30 to 12 o'clock every Sunday morning at quarters in the Memorial Auditorium.

The branch will handle all inquiries relative to immigration laws, naturalization, alleged injustices, etc., and last Sunday 12 such cases were discussed by Secretary Bodwell.

The secretary has advised Mayor Donovan of his schedule of office hours and has expressed his appreciation of the co-operation already received from the office of the chief executive.

CHARACTER PARTY

The employees of the United Clock and Suit Store and the Rialto Clock and Suit Store held a very enjoyable character party Monday evening at the home of Mr. Benjamin Wheeler, on Foster street. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Biss were guests of honor and the prize for the funniest costume was awarded to Miss Anna Kelley, a beautiful wraith. Singing, dancing and refreshments were served and the party broke up at a late hour, all united in saying that it was the best yet.

Crissinger Named Head of Reserve Board

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—President Harding today nominated D. R. Crissinger of Marion, Ohio, now comptroller of the currency, to be governor of the federal reserve board; James G. McNary of Las Vegas, N. M., to succeed Mr. Crissinger as comptroller and Milo D. Campbell of Coldwater, Mich., to be the "dirt farmer" reserve board member.

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\$2.00 Mahogany
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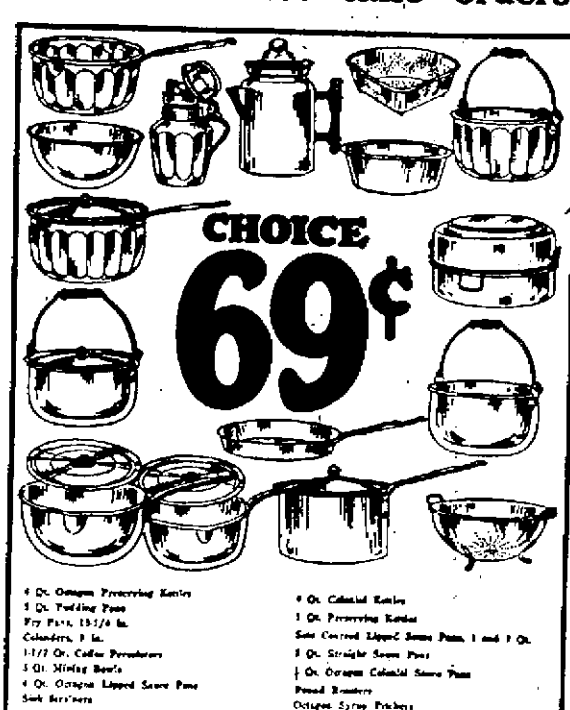
27 Palmer Street
Opposite Pollard's

SPECIAL
\$1.75 Casserole
\$1.15
Guernsey covered insert
in fine nickeled frame.

Aluminum A One Day Special Aluminum

Heavy Weight QUALITY BRAND Aluminum Ware

You will be surprised at the very heavy quality at these low prices. A big stock to select from, but we urge you to come early We will not take orders for this ware over the phone.



Winter Carnival Opens With Big Joke

GREENFIELD, Jan. 12.—Greenfield's winter carnival opened today with a practical joke, which was on a number of prominent local citizens and at least two state officials. A hare and hound chase, which the public believed was to be between Canadian jackrabbits and beagle hounds, had been bitterly protested for several weeks and the aid of Commissioner Gilbert of the state department of agriculture and Attorney General Benton to prevent it was sought yesterday on the ground that the exhibition would be a cruel one and the release of the rabbits a menace to agriculture. Today at noon, from an ice castle on Greenfield common six boys attired as rabbits and a similar number in dog costumes were released and chased each other up the street to the applause and laughter of a big crowd, which had expected something quite different. The most surprised persons in the audience, however, were the "indignant" citizens. The carnival which has an elaborate program, lasts until Sunday night.

Rum Fleet Sells Liquor

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Thousands of cases had been landed last night. The rum fleet, presumably sailing from the Bahamas, still had a vast stock to dispose of to bidders putting out from this resort and other places along the coast. Liquor landed last night was reported to have been sent by motor truck to New York, Philadelphia, Washington and other cities.

Whiskey, gin, champagne and wine all were offered for sale and keen competition has developed among the skippers of the rum ships. As the bootlegger runs alongside in his powerboat, he scans signs hung over the sides of the mother ships and decides from which he will purchase. The signs inform the bottle fishermen that Scotch whiskey of such and such brand may be had at \$10 to \$15 a case.

Rye was quoted at \$35. Champagne was higher. The visiting bottle fish the flags of many nations and the crews are of all races. The vessels are loaded to the gunwales with liquor. "Now 3000 cases in one pile on one boat," declared a gray-haired rummer. "You can get anything you want. Cheap, too."

FRENCH RESERVE TOLD TO BE READY

WINTHROP, Jan. 12.—Lieut. Paul Monte, under reserve as a member of the French air service, was ordered today to be ready to resume active duty. His orders came from the French embassy at Washington, he said. Lieut. Monte was wounded in the world war.

VOTING FOR NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Nearly 1000 members of the Lowell chamber of commerce are voting for nine directors for the 1923 official board. The election ends at 2 p. m., next Tuesday night.

The ballots were mailed Wednesday to the members, with instructions to vote for nine, and nine only, and return the marked ballots as soon as possible. There are no "picked" candidates. The ballot contains the name of every member of the chamber, making quite an imposing "Australian" when opened up for perusal when the members receive their letter mail.

No particular names have been boosted for the directors' berth so far as known, and no campaign along election lines was ever conducted more quietly. After the members make their final choice next Tuesday night, however, will come election by the new directors of the chief executive.

Suggested lists of leaders for this branch of the chamber executive work include several prominent names, but no one knows at this time who will be the next president.

NAME BARRACKS FOR MICHAEL COLLINS

DUBLIN, Jan. 12.—The royal barracks which were recently evacuated by British soldiers are to be renamed "Collins barracks" in memory of Michael Collins, and Richmond barracks will be renamed "Keogh barracks" in memory of Gen. Tom Keogh. Other barracks in the city and vicinity are also to receive new names.

WARSHIPS TO GO TO MEMEL

French and British Governments Prepare to Send Battleships to Baltic

Lithuanian Irregulars Cross Frontier—Exchange Shots With German Guards

French and Germans Fight Common Enemy on Frozen Shores of Baltic

PARIS, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) The French and British governments are preparing to send warships to Memel, the former East Prussian territory on the Baltic Internationalized by the Treaty of Versailles, with the purpose of maintaining order in view of the invasion by the Lithuanians.

Dispatches received by the French foreign office today indicate that the Lithuanian irregulars who crossed the frontier earlier in the week have reached the outskirts of the town of Memel and exchanged shots with the German guard.

The great lumber port at Memel, which has been under the temporary authority of a directorate composed of Germans since the signing of the treaty of Versailles, has no other military protection than a couple of hundred French soldiers, part of a battalion sent there during the peace negotiations of 1919.

While the Germans predominate in the town, the Lithuanians are in far greater number in the immediate outlying districts and there are fears in French official circles that the irregulars may overwhelm the local force and create a difficult situation. The French and the British have made a diplomatic protest to the Lithuanian government at Kovno. The reply was that every effort was made to prevent the irregulars from crossing the frontier.

Later reports indicate that a rather strong force has not only succeeded in crossing the frontier, but has reached the town.

The movement is regarded here as the result of a well laid plan, the object of which is to balance the Polish occupation of Vilna by taking possession of Memel.

French and Germans Join

LONDON, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press.)—The curious spectacle of the French and the Germans fighting a common enemy on the frozen shores of the Baltic, is expected from today's developments in the tense-turkey European situation as a result of the Lithuanian advance on Memel.

SALARY INCREASES NOT APPROVED BY MAYOR

Mayor John J. Donovan has not approved salary increases for Henry L. Williams, business agent, and William P. Thornton, supervisor of janitors in the school department and the payrolls have gone through the usual channels without the raises voted to each at the last meeting of the 1922 committee and concerning which there was considerable discussion at the first meeting of this year's board.

PRICE OF GERMAN COAL SOARS

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press.)—The price of German coal will be increased an average of 50 per cent., as from today, it was announced this morning. The miners' wages will be increased about 65 per cent.

STRONG EARTHQUAKE SHOCK

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 12.—A strong earthquake shock was felt last evening from Rancagua to Copiapo. No damage resulted.

Says Illegal Employment of Laborers Still Exists

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assurance, the mayor sought to have these pays released.

Following this conference Mayor Donovan elaborated upon the matter by letter to Commissioner Dana and today received a reply, which states that the pays now withheld will not be released until proof is given that illegalities in the employment of labor will cease.

The letter follows:

Department of Civil Service and Registration, State House, Boston 9, January 11, 1923.

Hon. John J. Donovan, Mayor, Lowell.

Dear Sir: I have received your courteous letter of Jan. 5 and have not replied to you before for the reason that I am still receiving information that men are still employed in Lowell illegally, and we are continuing to stop their payroll. I am, however, in high hopes that with the advent of your administration these illegalities will cease, but before I release any pay I am willing to give you an opportunity to conclusively prove this fact to me.

Very truly yours,

PAYSON DANA, Commissioner of Civil Service.

Mayor Donovan will not stop in his attempt to get these pays released and reiterates his intention of doing all in his power to have the civil service rules observed by department heads who hire laborers. During the present snow emergency many 6-day men have been put to work as is allowed by law when an emergency such as the present one exists, but aside from this special work, no men have been employed, he states.

IF YOU WANT TO
BUY, SELL,
RENT OR
EXCHANGE
ANYTHING
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COPPER REPORT

981,000,000 Pounds Turned Out in 1922

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Approximately 981,000,000 pounds of copper was turned out from American smelters during 1922, according to the geological survey estimates made public today, as compared with 500,000,000 pounds in 1921. This included a considerable amount of metal coming from mines outside of the United States, but sent to American smelters for treatment.

Forty-six years ago there was only one telephone in the world.

Off to Bring Home Yanks From Rhine

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The army transport St. Mihiel steamed out of the harbor at noon today to bring home the last of the American army of occupation in Germany. While Antwerp was given out as the destination the St. Mihiel's Captain said he expected to receive wireless instructions in mid-ocean from Major General Henry T. Allen, commander of the American forces, which might name another port for embarkation.

Bill Provides for Army of 125,000

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—A standing army of 125,000 enlisted men and 12,000 commissioned officers, the same as authorized last year, is provided for in the army appropriation bill reported today to the house.

A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE



Blouses
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"A change of blouse is a change of costume" is the slogan of the new blouses—and with reason, for the addition of another blouse to the original skirt changes the scheme of things altogether. Vivid as an autumn sky or a Chinese rug—so delightful that each is a pleasure to gaze on as well as wear—and they are priced very moderately.

- crepe-de-chine with combinations of prints.
- Allover crepe de chine prints.
- paisley jacquettes which are becoming to every type.
- caravan paisley hip blouses.
- crepe knit jacquettes.
- canton crepe blouses that are exact French copies, with cut steel beads in beautiful designs.
- The blouses are in many styles and shades—some like those pictured—with plenty others that are not.

\$4.95 to \$13.95

Second Floor

A Sale Of Embroidered Models

When one selects an article to embroider there is a desire to see that particular article, or one similar, made up. That's why we have these models—and of course being shown and handled so much they get soiled and mused—and have to be replaced with new ones—which means that the discarded ones are put on sale at reduced prices. Therefore this sale of 34 odd pieces—which began today.

- 1 Embroidered House Dress in old rose; regular price \$4.50. Now **\$2.50**
- 2 Embroidered Children's Dresses, with Bloomers, 4-year size; regular price \$7.00. Now **\$3.00**
- 1 Embroidered Dress for an infant; regular price \$10.00. Now **\$4.00**
- 14 Embroidered Dresses for children 1 to 6 years, 1 of a kind; regular prices \$5 to \$9. Now **\$2 to \$5**
- 6 Embroidered Rompers, 1 to 4-year sizes; regular prices \$4.50 to \$6.00. Now **\$1.50 to \$2.50**
- 1 Embroidered Baby Pillow; regular price \$5.50. Now **\$3**
- 1 Embroidered 9-Piece Lunch Set; regular price \$12.00. Now **\$4.00**
- 1 Embroidered 36-Inch Square; regular price \$6.50. Now **\$1.50**
- 1 Embroidered Jewel Cloth Scarf; regular price \$15.00. Now **\$4.00**
- 2 Embroidered Dolls; regular price \$5. Now **\$2.00**
- 4 Embroidered Pillows; regular prices \$6.50 to \$9.00. Now **\$3.00**

STREET FLOOR



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Satins, Gros de Londres and Hair Cloth are the predominating materials. In unique combinations and in colors to harmonize.

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SALE!

Stocktaking is over—we are ready for Big Business Once more. In the face of RISING Prices in the Clothing Market, we offer these Reductions to stimulate trade in a dull month. No clothes bought in for this Sale. Everything from Our Stock.

Just 31 Suits

One of a Pattern—Left From Various Purchases. Sold at \$35, \$40 up to \$50. Come Early. Sizes 35, 37, 38.

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KLAN CAUSED MUCH TROUBLE

Everybody in Mer Rouge Like Brothers Before Hooded Band Came

Under Regime of Klan: There Has Arisen a Condition That is Intolerable

RASTROP, La., Jan. 12.—State and local officials are today dealing with the testimony of nearly two score witnesses dealing with differences between the people of the locality caused by the K.K.K.

GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HAIR

She Mixed Sulphur With It To Restore Color, Gloss, Youthfulness

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store, all ready for use. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. While gray, faded hair is not shifty, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and after another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.—Adv.

HEALING CREAM IS A QUICK RELIEF FOR NASTY HEAD COLDS

Colds and catarrh yield like magic to soothing, healing antiseptic cream that penetrates through every air passage and relieves swollen, inflamed membranes of nose and throat. Your clogged nostrils open right up and you can breathe freely. Hawking and sniffing stop. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist. Apply a little in the nostrils and get instant relief. Millions endorse this remedy known for more than 50 years.—Adv.

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OUR REGULAR MARK-DOWN SALE ON GLOVES BEGAN TODAY

Two-Clasp Kid Gloves—All sizes and all colors, including black and white. Self and contrast stitching with embroidered backs. Regular prices \$2.50 and \$3.00. Sale price **\$1.35**

Gauntlet Leatherette Gloves—With novelty scallop tops in contrast stitching. All leading shades. Regular price \$2.00. Sale price **\$1.25**

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Full Fashioned Black Silk Hose—Regular price \$2.00. Sale price **\$1.25**

Wool and Silk and Wool Hose—Regular price \$2.00. Sale price **\$1.00**

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73 Central St., Cor. Market St.

PASTOR APOLOGIZES TO WORCESTER MAYOR

WORCESTER, Jan. 12.—Mayor Peter F. Sullivan received yesterday from Rev. William H. McNutt, pastor of the First Baptist church, the following letter in exchange of epistles which were started by the minister just before Christmas about the mayor not ordering the city flag at half-staff when Rev. Dr. Archibald McCullagh, former pastor of the Plymouth Congregational church, died:

"Dear Mr. Mayor: I have gone to my garden to eat worms. Unmindful of the custom of ordering flags at half-staff in memory of members of the city official family, I was I admit, somewhat quick when my old friend, Dr. Archibald McCullagh, seemed to be deprived of a common honor. Therefore, in somewhat more temper than wisdom, I dictated a note which you received."

"You were right, sir: I was wrong. I frankly apologize for the sectarian implication. I shall appreciate a personal interview when the state of your health permits you to return to your office. Respectfully yours,

"William H. McNutt."

Mayor Sullivan has been confined to his home with blood poisoning in his right foot, but his condition is reported as not serious.

In his letter to Rev. Mr. McNutt, following receipt of the first epistle, the mayor explained to the clergyman that the municipal flags are placed at half-staff only as tribute to members of the city's official family, with which Dr. McCullagh was not connected.

There is a strained feeling. Under the regime of the Klan there has arisen a condition in this parish that is intolerable."

Dade and Hugh Clark were the principal witnesses yesterday. Clark, still a Klansman, testified that the Klan is 400 strong. The condition which existed prior to reform measures enforced by Dr. B. M. McKoin as mayor was considered as peaceful by the present mayor, Mr. Dade.

On the heels of these reform measures came the agitation of the Klan which resulted in the dove of peace taking flight and conditions which he termed "intolerable" arising.

Rahis, according to testimony, were made on Mer Rouge by masked men wearing K.K.K. regalia. Citizens were dragged, some ordered deported from the state and others given lectures. The Klan witnesses have testified, superseding the constituted authorities of the parish. The sheriff, the clerk, the district attorney and other parish officials, it has been testified, became aligned with the hooded order with Captain Skipwith, officially known as the Klan's exalted cyclops, its ruler. His word was said to have been final. The state has summoned more than a score of witnesses to testify today.

Anniversary Observance

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General charge of arrangements and read the first gun by presenting Dr. Sullivan after an appropriate introduction. The beloved chaplain, after calling his battalion to attention, gave an informal talk on the history of the cadet movement in this city, saying that in the late World war, the blue and white of the O.M.I. numbered 1200 enlisted men in the army and navy of the United States. Of these, 31 were commissioned officers, and 18 were killed in action or died as the result of wounds. He reverently mentioned the name of George Rogers, the first Lowell boy to pay the supreme sacrifice, losing his life when the Jacob Jones sank beneath the waves. At the conclusion of his retrospective talk, Dr. Sullivan made a very important appointment and one which met with unanimous approval, naming William Dooley as the new colonel of the cadets to succeed Alfred Burns, whose term expired. Colonel Dooley

is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Dooley of 12 Livermore street and is a graduate of the Immaculate Conception and St. Patrick's Boys' school. He also attended the Lowell high school and is well versed in military affairs, having advanced from a private in the ranks of the honorable position he now holds, being but the seventh person to attain the colonelcy in the eighteen years of the cadet's existence, his predecessors being Russell Harrington, Frank Haggerly, William Conroy, Joseph Boyd, Francis Hall and Alfred Burns. The present colonel has a brother, Eugene, now preparing for the priesthood in Washington, D. C.

The mother, Mrs. Jeremiah Dooley, serves annually as matron during the summer cadet encampment in Milligan's grove, Wilmington.

Others who received promotions last night were Arthur McQuade, chosen as lieutenant-colonel, and Charles Carr, James McGrath, John Griffith, John Leary, William Condon, John Liggett, John Conway and John Whelan, who were advanced to captains. The new officers will take up their official duties immediately and have promised their best efforts to make the 1933 edition of the soldiers, the most progressive in years.

Mr. Sullivan was followed on the

speaking platform by Bernard F. Mc-Ardle, Francis Gargan, William Conroy and Joseph C. Reilly, the latter being the originator of the "once a cadet, always a cadet" slogan. Each gave an informal talk and exhorted the present members to uphold the reputation and high standard of efficiency maintained by the organization in the past. And then the fun began. A series of boxing matches were announced, with Mayor Donovan as referee. The first to appear in the squared arena were Johnny and Frankie Nelson, who received their mail at the same address. They engaged in a three rounder of

self-defense as taught them by their father, whom Mayor Donovan termed "the greatest champ of all." The main event had Phineas Doyle and "Acra Huby" Murphy as the principals, who engaged in a hectic battle of give and take to the utmost satisfaction of their admirers. Frank MacNeil acted as timer for all the bouts. The activities of the evening were brought to a close after some 200 applicants were soothed by a refreshing luncheon. There will be a meeting of the executive committee of the cadets in the cadet armory Monday evening, while a general mass meeting will be held in the same place on Tuesday evening.

MACARTNEY'S Buyers' Clearance Sale

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\$24.50 \$34.50 \$44.50

Former prices, \$30 to \$60.

20% Discount on Burberry Overcoats

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Leaders for Saturday

- \$7.60 All Worsted Plain Knit Coat Sweaters **\$5.00**
- \$6.50 and \$7.50 All Silk Shirts, Broadcloths, Crepes, Jerseys, etc. **\$4.00**
- 75c Heather Wool Hose, 2 Pcs. **75c**
- 35c Silk Lisle Hose, 4 Pcs. **\$1.00**
- \$2.50 Heavy Khaki Flannel Shirts, **\$1.50**
- \$1.65 Donut Flannel Pajamas, with silk frogs **\$1.15**
- \$1.85 Ladies' Thread Silk Hose, elastic rib top **85c**
- \$10.00 All Wool Shaker Knit Sweaters, with collars **\$7.50**
- 65c All Silk Neckwear, **39c, 2 for 75c**

Shirts

- \$1.65 and \$2.00 Soft Coll Shirts, about 20 dozen. Buyers' price, **\$1.29, 2 for \$2.50**
- \$2.00 and \$2.50 Madras and Cord Shirts, Yorke and other good brands **\$1.45**
- \$3.00 and \$3.50 Yorke Shirts, in silk stripes, broadcloths, etc. **\$2.39**
- \$5.00 Fibra Silk and Broadcloths. Buyers' price **\$3.85**
- \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00 All Silk Shirts. Buyers' price **\$4.85**

Neckwear

- 65c All Silk Neckwear **49c**
- \$1.00 All Silk Neckwear **69c**
- \$1.50 All Silk Neckwear **95c**
- \$2.00 All Silk Neckwear **\$1.35**
- \$3.00 All Silk Neckwear **\$2.35**

Women's Hosiery

- Rib Sport Hose, 55c, 2 Pairs **\$1**
- \$1.00 Silk Plaited Hose, rib tops, at **59c**
- \$1.65 Hologproof Hose **\$1.45**
- \$2.00 All Wool Rib Sport Hose, with or without clocks **\$1.65**
- \$2.50 Silk and Wool Fashioned Sport Hose, Italian clocks, etc. **\$1.95**

Specials

- 25c Pad Garters **15c**
- 50c Suspenders **39c**
- 75c Suspenders **55c**
- 50c President Suspenders **39c**
- Genuine Arabian Mocha Gloves, embroidered backs **\$1.95**

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- 25c Cotton Hose, (irregulars), **19c, 3 Pairs 50c**
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- 50c Fibra Silk Hose, (irregulars), **35c, 3 Pairs \$1.00**
- 75c Heather Wool Sport Hose, (irregulars), **55c, 2 Pairs \$1.00**
- 50c Cashmere Hose, (irregulars), **35c, 3 Pairs \$1.00**
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Juvenile Coats

3 years to 8 years.

- \$8.50 Coats **\$6.98**
- \$10.00 and \$12.00 Coats **\$8.98**
- \$15.00 and \$17.50 Coats **\$12.00**

Boys' Underwear

- 98c Union Suits, small sizes **69c**
- \$2.50 Munsingwear **\$1.98**
- \$3.00 Munsingwear **\$2.25**

Boys' Shirts

12½ to 14—Soft collar on hand.

- 98c Shirts **89c**
- \$1.25 Shirts **98c**
- \$1.50 Shirts **\$1.25**
- \$2.00 Shirts **\$1.59**

Boys' Mackinaws

- \$6.50 Mackinaws, small sizes only, **\$4.98**
- \$10.00 Mackinaws **\$6.98**
- \$12.00 Mackinaws **\$9.98**

Big Boys' Coats

10 years to 20 years.

- \$13.50 Coats **\$9.98**
- \$20.00 Coats **\$14.50**
- \$25.00 Coats **\$19.50**

Boys' Sweaters

- \$3.50 All Wool Sweaters **\$2.98**
- \$8.50 White All Wool Shaker Knit Sweaters, suitable for **\$5.98**
- \$8.50 Colored Sweaters, all wool Shaker knit **\$6.98**
- \$10.00 Extra Heavy All Wool Shaker Knit Sweaters **\$8.50**

Boys' Knicker Suits

8 years to 20 years.

- \$10.00 Suits **\$8.50**
- \$12.50 Suits **\$10.50**
- \$15.00 Suits **\$12.75**
- \$16.50 Suits **\$13.95**
- \$20.00 Suits **\$16.95**
- \$25.00 Suits **\$19.75**

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ATTRACTIVE MUSICAL PROGRAM ARRANGED

An attractive musical program has been arranged in connection with the annual linen shower of St. John's hospital, which is to be conducted next Saturday under the auspices of the Ladies of Charity. Among the many features in this respect will be several musical selections by Mrs. William H. Reiser of New York, contralto soloist and organist. Other entertainers will include Hovey's Band and Mandolin orchestra and a group of well known local singers. The program has been arranged by Mrs. John M. Murphy and reads as follows:

They's Majolica and "Hansel's Club" from "Leda" (Verdi); "Hercules" from "Jedda" (Godard); popular songs, "Three O'Clock in the Morning" (Hobbes); "Marchess Lullaby" (Mullane); and "Swanee River Moon" (Clarke); overture, "Santanello" (Bizet).

Local, Ed Shaffery and Charles F. Reiser in "Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean"; solo, selected, Joseph M. Kelly; recitations, William M. Moss; solo, selected, A. A. McCarthy; solo, selected, John Hartnett; solo, "For You Alone," Fred L. Cummings; solo, "You Remind Me of My Mother," and "Machuslee Machee," Raymond Kelly. Mrs. William H. Reiser of New York, contralto soloist.

The accompanists will be Miss Marion Ryan and Miss Katherine Gooney. The committees are as follows:

Reception committee—Miss Rose A. Dowd, Mrs. William P. Lawler, Mrs. P. P. Sullivan, Miss M. Alice Cox, Dr. Emma Young, Margaret, Mrs. Rose Elizabeth, Mrs. James Goody, Mrs. Elizabeth, Mrs. James H. Goody, Mrs. James C. Loftis, Miss Fannie Maxwell, Mrs. John M. Murphy, Mrs. Gerald Cahill, Mrs. J. B. O'Connor, Mrs. Henry L. Rourke, Mrs. John T. Donohue, Mrs. Joseph McQuade, Mrs. Charles Holmes. Hospitality committee—Mrs. Elizabeth Keryin, chairman; Mrs. William P. Lawler, Mrs. James Goody, Mrs. W. P. Barry, Mrs. J. P. McAdams, Mrs. J. P. Loughran, Miss Fannie Maxwell, Mrs. C. McSorley, Mrs. John Donny, Mrs. James A. Murphy, Mrs. R. H. Clifford, Mrs. M. H. Kelly, Mrs. Gerald Cahill, Miss Elizabeth Clark, Mrs. Rose A. Gilbride, Mrs. John Connor, Mrs. James H. Kelly, Mrs. J. H. Murphy, Mrs. Alice Donohue, Miss Jessie Keryin.

Cake table—Mrs. Donald J. Gooney, chairman; Mrs. J. B. O'Connor, Mrs. P. L. Scumell, Mrs. H. L. Rourke, Mrs. R. C. Donohue, Mrs. J. W. Sharkey, Mrs. M. J. Sharkey, Mrs. G. A. Leachy, Mrs. J. C. Loftis, Mrs. J. A. Connor. Girls from the Lowell High school regiment will be the ushers and are as follows:

First Maj. Sarah O'Brien, Second Maj. Margaret Flynn, Third Maj. Eleanor MacBrayne, Fourth Maj. Juanita Johnston. Capt. Mary Cheney, Catherine Harrington, Marian Lannan, Gladys Thurston, Margaret Holgate, Charles Brundage, Mrs. George, Fanning, Laidlaw, Adios Victoria Rosartio, Catherine Graciosa, Alice Buchner. Lieut. Elizabeth Johnson, Helen Dow, Catherine Connors, Irene Gillet, Irene Guilmond, Rachel Dobbins, Arpenis DerMannick, Elizabeth Smith.

MAKING READY FOR THE BIG OPENING
Workmen are laboring night and day to put the finishing touches on Lowell's newest and most beautiful playhouse, the Merrimack Square theatre, for its formal opening next Monday evening.

When the doors once more swing open the theatre-going public of this city will have a playhouse with-

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out a rival in New England. Every art and device known to modern theatre designing has been employed in the reconstruction of the popular theatre. From its long, sweeping balcony with its gradual rise to the new seating of the stage, the theatre has every appointment that will add to the pleasure and comfort of the patron.

Gloria Swanson in "The Impossible Mrs. Bellow," and Peter B. Kyne's noted story, "The Bride of Palomar," will be the features for the reopening program.

POLICE FAIL TO LOCATE CLIFFORD
A telegram received at police headquarters last night relative to the whereabouts of a "Mr. Clifford," supposed to reside in this city, failed to reveal any such person, according to an investigation conducted here. The man is wanted in connection with the disposition of the body of James O'Brien, who died in the metropolis recently.

The telegram read as follows: "Notify Mr. Clifford, 66 Church street, James O'Brien dead here. Advise disposition, Chief Inspector Laidlaw."

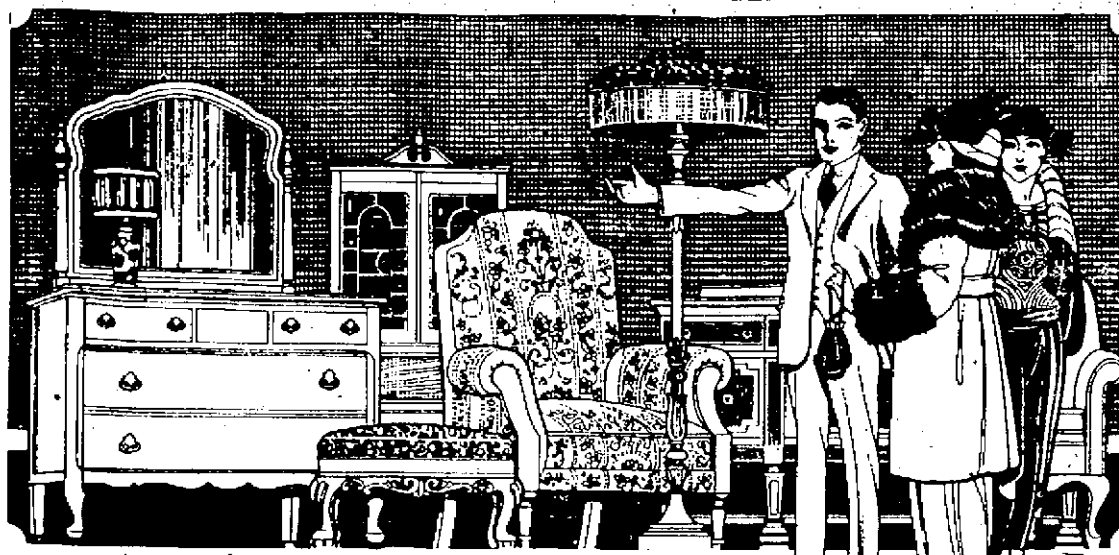
There is no such number as 66 Church street in this city and the identity of the man "Clifford" remains a mystery.

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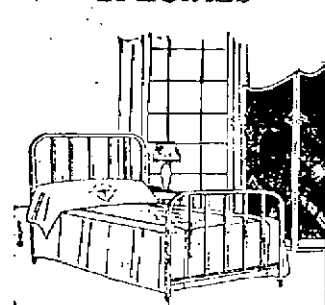


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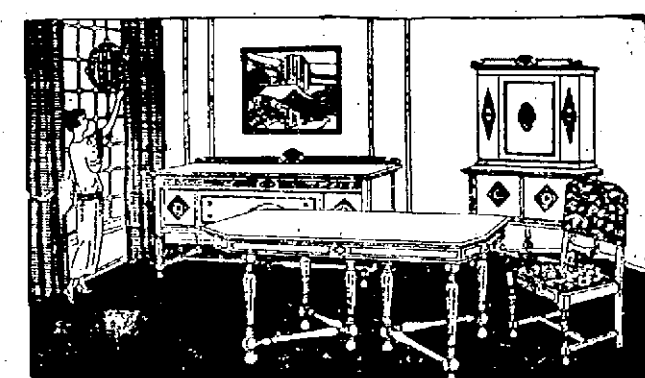
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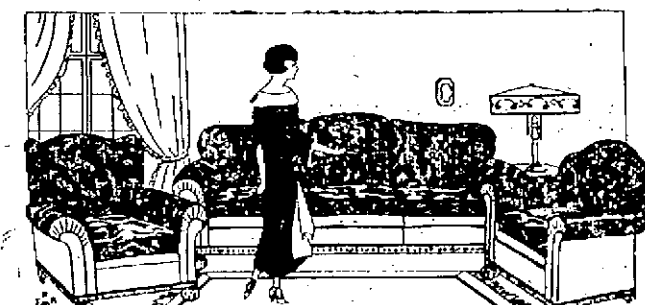
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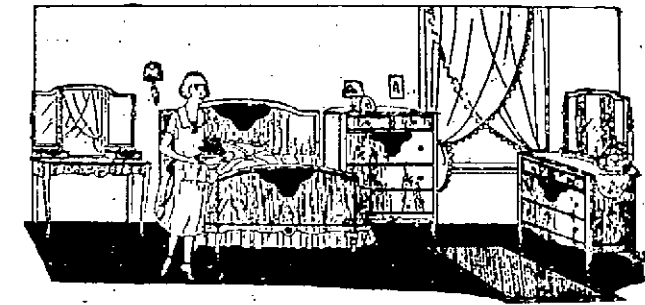
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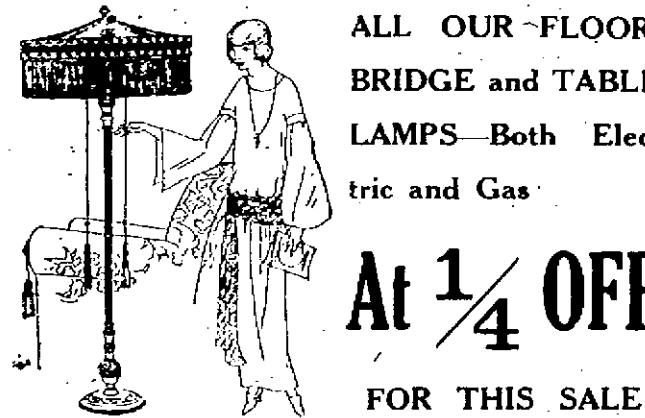
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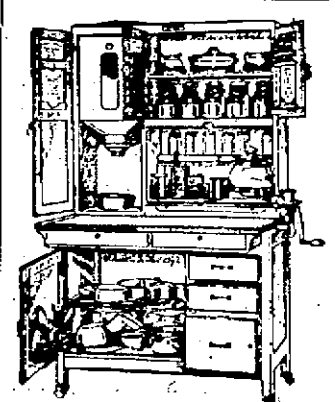


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- \$150.00 Wilton Velvet Rugs, 9x12, at.....\$105.00
- \$135 Wilton Velvet Rugs, 9x12, at.....\$95.00
- \$115.00 Velvet Rugs, 8x10-6, at.....\$87.00
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- \$150.00 Axminster Rugs, 9x12, at.....\$99.00
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- \$1.25 Printed Linoleum, 8 1/2 ft. Sq. Yd. at.....\$1.00
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- Others up to.....\$4.89
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Rib Roasts, lb. 18c, 22c	Boned and rolled if desired 28c	4 lb. Fowl, lb. 28c
Chuck Roast, lb. 10c	Pump Loins, lb. 40c	Large Fatted Fowl, lb. 43c
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Fresh Ground Hamburg, 3 lbs. for 29c	Fresh Beef Liver, lb. 8c	Sticker Pieces, lb. 11c
		Thin Rib Roll, lb. 12c
		Bacon, by piece, lb. 22c

➡ Best Maine Potatoes, 15-lb. Pk. 23c ➡

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Protest Censors' Action on Picture

LONDON, Jan. 12.—A storm of protest has resulted from the action of the London board of censors in cutting from the picture play "Oliver Twist" the scene in which Fagin instructs Oliver in the art of pocketpicking. The censors defend their action by asserting that the scene might prove instructive. Members of the Dickens Fellowship, G. K. Chesterton and several societies and civil organizations have commented adversely on the board's action.

Drug Peddlers Arrested at Coblenz

COBLENZ, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Two drug peddlers, believed to be members of a group operating here, have been arrested by operatives of the American department of criminal investigation. The agents said that they found drugs valued at six million marks in the possession of the men, who are alleged to have arrived here from Crefeld, late yesterday upon hearing that the American soldiers were soon to depart.

American Found Dead in Berlin, Germany

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—Robert Nowak, an American citizen, was found dead in his lodgings this morning. The police believe him to have been a victim of foul play. Nowak, it is said, was an American buyer who arrived in Berlin several days ago. He was born in Vienna.

Expect Troops to Besiege Canton

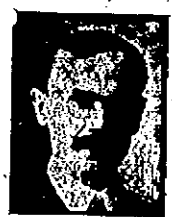
HONG KONG, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—In expectation that the troops of Sun Yat-sen, former president of the South China Republic, would besiege Canton, Chen Chih-yu, civil governor of the southern capital, came to Hong Kong with his family and a number of city officials seeking protection under the British flag.

A Neglected Cough

Has Been the Death Warrant to Many a Strong, Vigorous Man.

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LUNG HEALER

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CONTAINS NO OVER 15 ALCOHOL

For Severe, Obstinate Coughs on the Lungs, Allen's Lung Healer is Wonderfully Effective

There has been discovered no sure cure for tuberculosis or pneumonia, but there IS a preventive.

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Allen's Lung Healer is made to cure sore lungs, to stop coughs on the lungs, to make new tissues and build up the body, back to strength and vigor.

For severe and obstinate coughs on the bronchial tubes or lungs, it is the most effective remedy known.

Sold in Lowell by J. W. Dows & Co., L. R. Brunelle, H. R. Campbell, Lowell Pharmacy, J. J. Brown, Wm. H. Noonan, T. C. Walker, Fred Howard, F. H. Butler.—Adv.

EX-MAYOR DEFENDS HIS ADMINISTRATION

Former Mayor George H. Brown takes issue with city solicitor Joseph J. O'Sullivan relative to the statements alleged to have been made by the latter in an address before the Lowell Rotary club last Tuesday. In which he was credited with saying that this year's government will have to meet a deficit of approximately \$400,000.

Mr. Brown says no such condition of financial affairs exists and that the government of 1922 began its work with a very substantial surplus, rather than with the burden of a deficit. He admits there will be unpaid bills amounting to about \$15,000, but explains them by saying certain department heads "loaded up" with materials and supplies during the last days of 1922.

The former mayor states there will be a surplus when the auditor completes his task of balancing accounts and says his administration closed the year in a healthy financial condition. He adds that this year's government faces lower expenditures than he faced when he took office in January of 1922.

AMUSEMENT NOTES**B. F. KELTH'S THEATRE**

"The Love Game" is played very well at the B. F. Kelth theatre this week by Harry Hayden & Co. It is an old game, but not always is it played as carefully as does Hayden give it. His characterization of the leading part is a very good piece of work. If you like the long and the short of it, you can will appreciate Kelth and O'Brien in their turn of many different things. The perfect singers are Florence Wright and Rene Dietrich, who give one of the best acts of the kind ever seen here. Joe Roberts, master banjoist, is another performer of top-line merit. Old-timers who have the finish of their earlier days and who can give pointers to many of the youngsters now at Whalen & McShane. The Four Phillips are extraordinary equilibristae, while the Musical Rowells give novelties.

RIALTO THEATRE

In the complete change of program at the Rialto theatre beginning this afternoon the feature has "Wanda Hawley" in "The Love Charm." Franklyn Farnum in "Gun Shy" is the second feature on the same program and the others have Elmo Lincoln in "The Adventures of Tarzan" also a Harold Lloyd comedy and the Rialto News Review.

THE STRAND

In "Nero," the super-special being presented at the Strand during the week are enacted scenes which furnished inspiration to writers and painters for hundreds of years. Christianity was in its infancy, civilization was just dawning. On the eve of the Caesar's there sat a man who embodied every evil passion and every vice, luxury and lust ruled supreme, yet there were a few intrepid souls who dared defy the will of the cruellest tyrant that the world had ever known. Representing as it does, the last word in motion picture production, "Nero" is by far the greatest picture that has been presented to motion picture patrons of the world. Don't miss it.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

A very successful rehearsal of the Lowell Orchestral society was held last evening and there was a large attendance in spite of the inclement weather. Mr. Schiller, the musical director, promises the people of Lowell something very good in the form of a concert in the very near future.

Japan has 8000 newspapers and magazines.

SHEEPSKIN COATS

Manufacturers' Samples at 1/3 to 1/2 Off

Lengths 32 to 40 Inches. Fur or Beaverized Collars. The Outside Shell Is Moleskin or Corduroy Lined with Full Sheepskin Pelts.

Sale Price **\$7.85**

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For Women and Misses.
Sizes 16 to 56

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High Grade Fur Trimmed

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200 Dresses Worth up to \$22.50 **\$6.90**

Velvets, Silks, Poiret Twills, Tricotines, etc.

Dresses at \$9.90, \$12.90

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Salts' Seal Plush, Baffin Seal, Hudson Seal Plush—Looks like real fur—Less than cost to manufacture.

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Girls' and Children's Fur Trimmed and Plain Tailored Coats, Sizes 2 to 16 years, **\$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.98**

Children's Serge Dresses, Sizes 2 to 16. Sale Price **\$2.98 and \$3.98**

All our \$2 Waists at **89c**

\$3 Slip-On Sweaters **\$1.89**

A Timely Sale of Skirts. Regular \$5 to \$10 values, **\$2.98, \$3.69, \$3.98**

Hats worth \$4 to \$5. Sale Prices **98c, \$1.98**

Chalifoux's January Clearance Sale

Beautiful DRESSES

We have just received a lot of Women's and Misses' Dresses in Taffeta, Georgette and Flat Crepe, Poirer Twill, Satin Charmeuse and Velvet, in all designs for advance Spring styles. All \$20 and \$25 values.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE PRICES

\$14.95

Second Floor



Stylish Stout DRESSES

Here is an opportunity for stout women who have experienced difficulty in being fitted.

Poirer Twill, Woolen Crepe, Milo Sham and Taffetas. Sizes 16 to 32 in the lot. \$12.50 and \$15 values.

\$9.95

Second Floor

GORGEOUS COATS

\$14.95

Fur Trimmed and Sport Models.

Second Floor

SPRING MILLINERY

A Wonderful Selection of New Spring Hats—In all the new shades and materials. January Clearance Sale Price... **\$2.95**

Bright New Straw and Silk Combinations—Trimmed with flowers or embroidered. January Clearance Sale Price... **\$5.00**

Black Haireloth and Silk Combinations—A fine selection. January Clearance Sale Price... **\$5.00**

Straw and Silk Combinations—Haireloth and silk embroidered. January Clearance Sale Price... **\$2.95**

Haireloth, Rib Silk and Straw, Changeable Silk and Timbo Straw Combinations—Jan. Clearance Sale... **\$5**

SECOND FLOOR

FUR TRIMMED

COATS

\$19.95

Silk Lined, Bolivia Cloth and Other Soft Materials.

Second Floor

TOILET GOODS

Street Floor

Lotus Face Powder, twelve shades, White, Flesh, Rose, Henna, Olive, Hazel, Rachel, Creole, Deep Rachel, Indian Brown, Geisha and Lavender, for evening wear... **\$1.25**
Sample sizes of above in all shades... **25c**
"Health Glow" Waterproof Rouge... **75c**
"Tendresse" Cold Cream Face Powder... **75c**
Liquid Lushlux Brown and Black... **75c**
Mineralaya Clay Pack, **\$2.00**; Mineralaya Face Finish, **\$1.50**.
Special for Saturday only, Clay Pack and Face Finish, **\$2.69**
Metal Hot Water Bottles, guaranteed one year; \$1.50 value. Clearance Sale Price... **\$1.00**
Plaza Double Compact Powder and Rouge... **\$1.50**
Karess Double Compact Powder and Rouge... **\$1.75**
Du Barry Twin Compact Gold Filled Case, guaranteed five years... **\$2.50—Refill 75c**

Neckwear and Handkerchiefs

Street Floor

Bandanna Kerchiefs of Paisley silk, in all styles; the very latest, each... **59c to \$3.50**
Silver and Gold Metal Collars, on black net, all widths... **\$1.00 to \$3.98**
Women's Colored Linen Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs, in all colors, each... **59c to \$1.00**
Men's White Silk Handkerchiefs, plain and colored borders, each... **50c to \$1.50**
Bertha and Bib Collars, of net and lace, several different patterns, each... **50c to \$3.50**

WALL PAPER

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

Roll
WALL PAPER, Values up to 10c, at **3c**
WALL PAPER, Values up to 18c, at **7c**
Roll
WALL PAPER, Values to 25c, at **14c**
WALL PAPER, Values to 39c, at **20c**

Third Floor

Dress Goods

Street Floor

Regular \$3.98 Bolivia Coating—56 in. wide, strictly all wool. The season's most popular fabric, in a high, lustrous, silky finish, in black, brown, navy and purple. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$2.49**
Regular \$2.98 Wool Velour Coating, 56 in. wide, correct weight for misses' wraps and children's school coating, in navy, dark brown, Japan blue and tan. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.49**
Regular \$6.49 All Silk Chiffon Velvet, 40 in. wide, exquisitely rich texture, silky finish, especially adaptable for new draped styles, in dark brown and a rich jet black. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$4.98**
Regular \$1.07 Dress Satins—36 in. wide, full range of street and evening shades. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.29**
Regular \$1.29 Storm Serge—All wool, 54 in. wide, sponged and shrunk, in black, dark brown, navy, gray and copen blue. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **89c**
Regular \$1.50 Satin Charmeuse—40 in. wide, nice lustrous finish, in a rich jet black only. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.39**
Regular \$2.67 All Silk Satin Charmeuse—49 in. wide, high lustrous finish, about 35 beautiful street and evening shades to choose from. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.75**
Regular \$2.27 Tweed Suiting, all wool, 56 in. wide, thoroughly sponged and shrunk, about 20 beautiful light and dark mixtures to choose from. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **\$1.39**
Regular 19c Percales—32 in. wide, a large assortment of pretty patterns on light and medium grounds. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **12½c**
Regular 39c Dress Ginghams, 32 in. wide, a good assortment of checks, plaids and stripes. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **19c**

Linens and Domestics

Street Floor

Madeira Orals—Warranted all hand embroidered eye-let work and scalloped edge, ten patterns to select from. Clearance Sale Price, each... **89c**
Hemstitched Linen Scarfs—All pure Irish linen, fine count, these scarfs are regularly priced at \$2.98 and \$2.75. Special in the following sizes:
18x54. Clearance Sale Price... **\$1.69**
18x45. Clearance Sale Price... **\$1.49**
Hand-Made Spanish Lace—We carry a full line of dollies, ovals, squares, oblongs and centres, in all sizes. Clearance Sale Price... **19c to \$8.49**
72x72 Hemmed Pattern Cloths—Made from extra good quality mercerised linen finish cotton, in rose and chrysanthemum patterns. Clearance Sale Price, each... **\$2.00**
Linen Guest Toweling—15 in. wide, extra fine quality, fancy linen huck, in floral designs. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **85c**
Heavy Bath Towels—Pure bleach, extra large size, all first quality, very absorbent. Clearance Sale Price, each... **22c**
Beacon Bathrobing—In a variety of patterns, all first quality, cut from the full piece. Clearance Sale Price, yard... **42c**

JEWELRY and LEATHER GOODS

Street Floor

Hand Bags of real leather, in black and brown. For Friday and Saturday only... **\$1.69**
Hand Bags of pin seal, beaver calf, Persian and other leathers, all fitted bags... **\$3.95**
Colored Glass Novelties, comprising Butler Tubs, Powder Jars, Ash Trays, Salt and Pepper Shakers. Specially priced... **59c to \$1.25**
Large Assortment of Cut Beads, in all colors... **59c to \$1.00**

Gloves

Street Floor

Ladies' Washable Kid Gloves, one-clasp, gray, heaver, or tan, all sizes; value \$3.00 pair. Clearance Sale Price, pair... **\$1.00**
Ladies' Slip-on and Strap Wrist Gloves, broken sizes, tan, heaver, brown and gray; values from \$1.75 to \$3.00. Clearance Sale Price, pair... **\$1.25**
Ladies' Chamois Suede Gloves, two-clasp, a few strap wrist, gray, mode and white, broken sizes; values from 98c to \$1.25 pair. Clearance Sale Price, pair... **59c**
Children's All Wool Gloves, gray, brown, navy and white; values 39c and 59c pair. Clearance Sale Price, pair 10c

FLUFFY RUFFLES Only 98c Pair

COTTAGE SETS 7 Pieces Only \$1.39 Set

THE CURTAIN SHOP CLEARANCE SALE

Window Shades, all colors, all perfect, complete with rings and brackets, each... **59c**

Curtain Muslins, Jewel Cloth, Voiles, Serims, Marquisettes, for curtains, yard... **29c**

Ruffled Curtains, with tie-backs, pair... **98c**

Hemstitched Curtains, white only, pair... **98c**

Novelty Curtains, lace edged, per pair... **\$1.19**

Cluny Curtains, hemstitched, per pair... **\$1.98**

Lace Curtains, 2 to 5 pair lots, soiled samples, pair... **98c**

Pilot Net Curtains, with neat edge, pair... **\$2.98**

Fringed Tuscan Curtain Panels, each... **\$2.75**

Dresden Curtains, pair... **\$2.49**

SUNFAST FOR OVERDRAPERIES

All Colors. **98 Cents**

Third Floor

SHADE HEADQUARTERS

NO CHARGE FOR ESTIMATES

Art Goods

Street Floor

Stamped Linen Guest Towels—Hemstitched for crochet edges and hemstitched hems. Clearance Sale Price... **39c each, or 3 for \$1.00**
Stamped Baby Bibs and Tray Cloths—Regular price 59c. Clearance Sale Price... **39c**
Stamped Turkish Towels—Regular price 59c. Clearance Sale Price... **2 for \$1.00**
Tie Silk—Regular price 69c. Clearance Sale Price, 55c spool, 2 spools for \$1.00

Hosiery

Street Floor

Silk and Wool Hose, plain and drop stitch, full fashioned and seamed back. Regular \$1.95 value. Clearance Sale Price... **89c**
Wool Sport Hose—Heather mixtures. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 values. Clearance Sale Price... **65c**
Fibre Silk Hose—Fashioned back. Lace clocks, black and cordovan. Regular \$1.00 values. Clearance Sale Price... **49c**
Children's Cotton Lisle Hose, black and a few cordovan. Regular 29c value. Clearance Sale Price... **17c**
All Wool Sport Sox, fancy turned cuff. Regular \$1.65 value. Clearance Sale Price... **95c**

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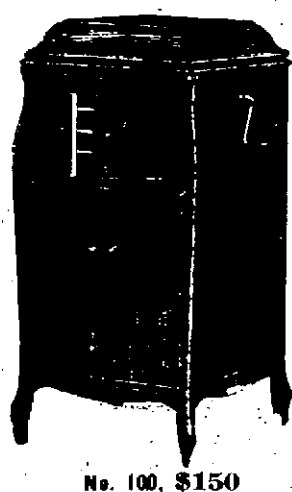


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\$5 down brings the outfit.

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Many Other Victrolas Complete With Records on Proportionately Easy Terms. VICTROLA DEPARTMENT IN DAYLIGHT BASEMENT



PHENOM AT NINE WEEKS

Nine weeks old, weighing 12 pounds, and as well built as a normal two-year-old child. That is the record of little Norma Loeb, above, according to her father, Dr. Carl Loeb of Chicago. Norma has been sitting up for a month and can walk—with a little assistance. Dr. Loeb has trained her to this.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT

The annual report of the water department was submitted to the board of public service at a meeting held last night by Supt. Robert Gardner and accepted as a report of progress.

The department laid 10,106 feet of pipe in extensions during the year. This was divided into 5024 feet of extensions for low service, 1081 feet for high service, and 4061 feet of galvanized pipe. In all 315 new services were put in. The department changed 303 services, repaired 619 leaks in cisterns and attached 303 new cellar cocks. Three hundred and six new meters were set during the year, 30 meters changed, 71 condemned, 64 replaced, 26 private meters sold and four temporary meters set. More than 1700 meters were taken out for repairs.

Twenty-five new hydrants were set during the year and 18 hydrants changed. The department installed 43 new stop gates and four new fire services.

During the month of July a new Union horizontal relative dry vacuum air pump, made by the Hayes Pump & Machinery Co., was installed at the Boulevard station at a cost of \$1825. For furnishing and installing material necessary to erect and connect this pump.

During the year 31 wells were removed and equipped with brass strainers. The old wells gave 10 gallons per minute and the new wells 40 gallons per minute.

In November the Allis-Chalmers pump at the West Sixth street station was repaired at a cost of \$420.

While the street department was amply paying various streets during the year the water department repaired 141 services together with a

large number of hydrants and gate boxes on the same streets. The McChesney-Marschall Co. of Boston asked the board for an extension of time on its contract to erect a new bridge over the railroad tracks at Springfield street, stating that delayed shipments, unforeseen, have proved a great handicap. The contract specified the bridge would be completed Dec. 31, 1922. The board will discuss the matter in conference prior to the next meeting. Work on the bridge to date entitles the contracting company to \$25,321.17, according to a detailed report rendered through Pay, Spottford & Thorndike, consulting engineers.

The board received a communication from the Municipal Employees' union, expressing appreciation of the board's efforts to keep the wage scale for city laborers at the present standard.

The board will adopt a new system of identifying street department workers by means of tags, 1500 of which will be printed at a cost of \$50.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The special services in St. Paul's M. E. church continue with good attendances. Last night in his third appearance, Rev. Ernest H. Tippet of Boston spoke upon "The Greatest City in the World." Interest in the course is steadily increasing with a speaker well equipped for the work at hand.

The pastor prefaced his remarks last evening by reading from the Book of Revelations, the vision of the Holy City of Jerusalem described by St. John, and interpreted the meanings of the visions of heavenly conditions coming down to earth. The speaker said that religion is practiced "with too much individuality at the present time." He predicted a better understanding among nations and all peoples of the world before long. Mrs. Charles G. Martin sang and Howard Large played organ selections.

CLASS IN INTERIOR HOME DECORATING

Interior home decorating is to be taught to a class at the Girls' City club, beginning tonight at 7.15. The instructor will come from the division of university extension of the state department of education. Miss Alice E. Sullivan, secretary of the local club, is responsible for the installation of this



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instructive program. A large number of clubs have enrolled for the work. Six lessons will be given.

Tonight, the first lesson study, will be devoted to colors and planning of color schemes. Later subjects to be followed will be the treatment of coverings, curtains, hangings and portieres, furniture and furniture coverings, lighting fixtures, pictures, lamps, covers, dollies, sofa pillows and bric-a-brac. All of these various things will be studied with reference to their suitability, durability, cleanliness and resulting artistic effects.

The lessons will be conducted each Friday evening, beginning tonight, and each lesson will last an hour and three-quarters. The only charges for the instruction period will be for lesson pamphlets, materials and the traveling expenses of the instructor. This

FEEL CHILLY ALL THE TIME?

It's a warning of thin, impure blood and low vitality when you feel chilly all the time and dread going out into the winter air.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan will increase your supply of pure rich blood, help you put on firm, healthy flesh, and build up your vigor and vitality. Then you will feel warm in the coldest weather, and be protected against coughs, colds and other winter ills.

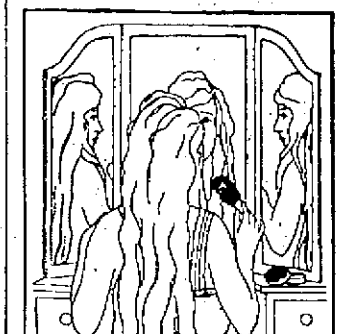
You will find Gude's at your druggist's—both in liquid and tablet form.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan
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will necessitate a charge of \$2 each for the lesson series.

AMERICAN-IRISH HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The principal business to be transacted at next Sunday's meeting of the American Irish Historical Society in Memorial hall, will be the annual election of officers. The meeting will start at 3:30 o'clock with President Dr. Michael Tighe in the chair.



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At night touch spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with a soda of Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse with tepid water. Keep your scalp clean and healthy and your hair will be lustrous.

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BOSTON LADIES' OUTFITTERS—"Store Ahead"

Barnum Is Dead!

HIS WHITE ELEPHANT DIED WITH HIM!

We don't promise you something for nothing (which you never get.) We don't claim to be in business for charitable purposes. We don't sell damaged goods, or job lot merchandise at any price—you always get the newest in style—best in quality at lower prices here. We quote no exaggerated markdowns—no hard luck stories—but we do give you the best values in Lowell. That's why the Boston Ladies' Outfitters is always busy. Friday and Saturday will be great days here.

Silk and Cloth DRESSES

Pretty styles that are new and different. Every style feature. Materials are Canton Crepe, Taffeta, Charmeuse, Lace, Poiret Twill, Camille. All the new shades. All sizes. Values that will cause a sensation. **\$14.75**

Exclusive Dresses

Models that are designed by leaders of fashion—styles for every occasion in finest new silk materials. All the new shades. All sizes, including stylish stouts. **\$18.50 and \$25**

Hosiery Sale

1000 PAIRS OF LADIES' STOCKINGS

Every pair perfect. All wool stockings, silk and wool stockings, ribbed and dropstitch effects. Silk stockings, fashioned ankle, double heels and toes. All colors, all sizes. Special, while they last. **75c**

Many Other Values in This Busy Department



49 LADIES' BEACON BLANKET

BATHROBES

Silk ribbon trimmed, pretty floral designs.

\$3.89

COATS **\$12.50**

Just 63 stylish coats in Wool-Velour, Double-Face Cloths and Plaid-Backs. Many with fur collars. Silk lined, all sizes. They're wonderful, you'll say.

Girls' Coats

Mothers! Don't Miss This Opportunity for Great Savings

Youthful models in finest wool materials, silk lined, warmly interlined. Fur collars, sport models. Sizes 2 to 6, 7 to 14. They are great at **\$4.50 \$6.50 \$8.50**

Exclusive Fur Trimmed COATS

Finest soft pile fabrics. Verzella, Brytonia, Marzella. Wonderful collars and cuffs of Beaver, Squirrel, Lynx, Platinum Wolf and Fox. Handsome Canton crepe lining. Every new fashionable creation. All the wanted shades. Sizes for all. A remarkable sale at **\$49 and \$63**



Stylish High Grade Coats

New coats in fine Bolivia and fine soft pile fabrics. Large fur collars of Raccoon, Nutria and Opossum. Silk lined. All the wanted shades. All sizes. A sale without equal. They are unusual at **\$19.75**

Remarkable values in New Waists, Underwear, Millinery, Sweaters and Handkerchiefs. Great Savings in every department Friday and Saturday.

Dresses

Styles that you'll like. Materials are Canton Crepe, Satin, Taffeta, Velvet, Poiret Twill. Effectively trimmed. All colors. All sizes to 44. Materials alone cost more. **\$8.50**

Children's Fine Ribbed School Stockings—Black and brown, all sizes. **10c**

87 Cardigan Sleeveless Jackets—Black, in all sizes. **99c**

94 MERRIMACK ST.

LOWELL

45-49 MIDDLE ST.

WILL HOLD ANNUAL ALUMNI NIGHT

St. Patrick's Boys' school will hold its annual alumni night at the school hall on Suffolk street tonight. The committee in charge of the event is doing all in its power to make the affair better than it has been in the past, and, judging by the menu, which will be served at 8 o'clock, and the program of sports and the entertainment that is to follow, all who attend will be well satisfied.

The speaker of the evening will be James C. Reilly, recently candidate for the office of district attorney. The other speakers of the evening have not been announced.

The committee in charge consists of the following alumni: Eugene Fitzgerald, chairman; Daniel Cunningham, John Flannery, Paul Dineen, Harold Sullivan, Henry Doran, John Golden, William Walsh, James Molloy, Timothy O'Sullivan, Edward Hines, Henry Connolly, Martin Gilligan, Dr. E. J. O'Leary, Dr. John Walsh, John J. Quinlan, Francis O'Loughlin, John Miskell, William McCann, Patrick Winn, John McDermott, William Twohey and Frank B. McNabb.

INSURANCE MEN ELECT OFFICERS

At the meeting of the Lowell Life Underwriters association yesterday in the Fairburn building the following list of officers was unanimously elected: President, John McPadden, assistant superintendent for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Lowell; vice president, John O'Brien, agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company; secretary and treasurer, M. J. Brady, agent for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance company.

The executive committee consists of the officers and John J. Riley, assistant superintendent for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance company, and Joseph Miller, agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company.

DENY HALL FOR KLAN MEETING
ALBANY, Ga., Jan. 12 (By the Associated Press).—Use of the grand auditorium for a public meeting announced by the Rev. Roy Davis, an official spokesman of the K.K.C. for next Friday night, was denied by the mayor and council yesterday. The meeting was to be addressed by Col. William Joseph Simmons of Atlanta, emperor of the "invisible empire."



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Glove-Grips are made in both men's and women's styles, in all the latest modes and leathers. "The Pacer," with the fashionable wide, square toe, is one of the season's most popular models for men.

Come in, select a style that suits your taste and try them on. The fit will be a revelation in comfort.

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U. S. SOLDIERS CANNOT OWNERS GUILTY OF BRING GERMAN WIVES HAVING COLD FLATS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The German girls who have married enlisted men in the American Rhine army must get to the United States as best they can.

While the practice in the army has been to transport the dependents of enlisted men on army vessels and charge only for subsistence, when the St. Mihiel sailed from Antwerp, January 11, there will be no space on board for women and children.

Consequently enlisted men who have married in Germany must find some other means of transportation. Welfare organizations presumably will lend a helping hand. Many enlisted men have returned in the past with German wives and have been assisted on this side by the American Red Cross.

Secretary of War Weeks said yesterday that there was nothing that he could do to assist the German wives of American troops in this connection, since the St. Mihiel will be crowded as it is, having been constructed with accommodations for 500 enlisted men and approximately 40 cabin passengers. Some of the commissioned officers must return on another vessel at government expense, but the law does not permit the war department to make such provisions for the wives of enlisted men, except for the three highest ratings among the non-commissioned officers. The law permits an enlisted man to buy his discharge un-

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Boston courts yesterday found two landlords guilty of failing to supply their tenants with heat.

Judge Murray of the municipal court fined Jacob Turpin \$100 for failing to keep warm his dwellings at 37-39 Falmouth street, Back Bay. Judge Hayden of the Roxbury court found Joseph B. Greene of Cambridge guilty on five counts of neglect of his building at 13-15 Crawford street, Roxbury, but continued the case for sentence, giving Mr. Greene until dark last night to shovel off the sidewalk, and until Jan. 20 to supply new furnace grates.

Judge Hayden also ordered Police Officer Norton to report on the conditions in the house next Saturday, and pointed out to Greene that the offense carries with it a maximum sentence of six months in the house of correction, if Greene did not do as he was told. The judge promised to deal with him "properly."

Under certain conditions and this can be done by married men who desire to remain in Coblenz.

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"SHEPHERD" WARNS THE WALL STREET LAMBS

By EDWARD THIERRY
NEA Service Staff Writer
NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—"America spent \$100,000,000 for fake stocks last year."

This is the estimate of Charles M. Minton, the "shepherd of Wall Street." He is head of the Minton Brothers' Investigating Bureau and his job is to



CHARLES M. MINTON

keep track of crooked brokers and stock salesmen for the big exchanges.

"The average American with a little money laid by is the biggest sucker in the world," says Minton. "Why? Easy—because they won't heed warnings. They get skinned—then they holler, and when it's too late they listen to advice."

Stock swindles are being operated in

every big city, and in many small ones, he says. He declares he can name at least 150 crooked houses in New York.

Men Most Guiltible

"Men are bigger suckers than women," said Minton. "More of them fall. I mean. Women are more conservative—but when they fall they fall harder. I know one who just lost \$50,000 in a fake stock deal."

"Oil stocks used to be the favorite medium for gyp artists. Next came mining stocks. These are pretty well played out now. New schemes are being hatched all the time. Kaddis is now being used to trap suckers."

"There seems to be as many clever crooks doing business as ever. It is

DON'T FOR SUCKERS

Charles M. Minton, "shepherd of Wall Street," offers this advice to people with money to invest:

Don't expect to get rich overnight.

Don't listen to promises of quick dividends.

Don't buy stock from a salesman without investigating.

Don't speculate with a broker you aren't sure is reputable.

Don't think you know it all; ask for advice before you get skinned.

hard to get the goods on bucket shops—the crooked brokers who accept orders and never execute them. They put your orders on their cuffs—and pocket the money.

"Most suckers are fleeced by gyp houses selling handsome stock certificates that mean nothing. They sit up rich looking offices and if they're exposed they get a new sign painted and move to another office or another city."

"Another class of gyp artists work in what is called a 'bolder room' or 'high pressure room'—with just a telephone and a telephone directory. They have an uncanny skill at picking names out of the book, giving a swift, sugary canvass over the wire—and actually looking cash out of at least one sucker out of every five they call. Such a crook is known as a 'dynamiter.' His first cousin is called a 'raider'—who raids another block of stock on to a sucker in the very face

of the fact that no dividends have been paid.

Names Sell For Cent a Piece

"Sucker lists are used by many crook salesmen. You can go to half a dozen places in Wall Street and buy sucker lists for a cent or two—cents a name, depending on the class of stock you want to unload. Every time a person answers a doubtful ad his name gets into a sucker list—and the name is sold and resold indefinitely."

Minton has been in Wall Street 43 years and he thinks the public is getting more gullible every day.

TEACHER SWAPS BAG WITH BOOTLEGGER

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 12.—Miss Mabel R. Wood, East Providence, a teacher in the public schools of this city, is a firm believer in the 18th amendment. But yesterday one of the vagaries of hurriedly transferring from one car line to another caused her to "swap" Boston bags with a bootlegger, and thus innocently enough, become party to the transportation of liquor.

These are the circumstances that led

her to carry to her schoolroom a bottle of "white wine" and a revolver. Her next act, of course, was to report the matter to the police, who have little hope that the man sitting next to Miss Wood on the street car will do the same. Miss Wood and the police do hope, however, that the man will be courteous enough at least to mail her Boston bag, which contains examination papers of her pupils, a pair of eyeglasses and a \$10 bill, to her home.

LAWRENCE BOY KILLED BY TRAIN

LAWRENCE, Jan. 12.—Michael Linahan, a boy of four years old, was struck by a train and instantly killed last night while crossing the Boston & Maine tracks near the North station here.

The boy and his mother, who was hauling a younger child on a sled, attempted to get over the tracks on a zebra crossing just as a Boston bound train, running late, reached that point. The mother and younger child were unhurt.

Mrs. Daniel Linahan, the mother,

said the gates at the crossing were up at the time. The gate tender said they were down and that the woman and boy went under them.

AYER DOCTORS USE SNOW SLED

AYER, Jan. 12.—Dr. Bertrand H. Hopkins and his associate in practice, Dr. Edward A. Adams, have removed their snow shovels from the kit of tools carried on their motor trips and now challenge winter to do its worst. On Wednesday they put into commission their new motor sled which was delivered the previous evening from Caspice, N. H., coming overland under its own power.

The new snow car is a Ford chassis carrying runners on the front axle and a set of four wheels with the familiar caterpillar tractor equipment on the rear. On trial the machine made 15 to 20 miles an hour and travelled over snow too deep for teams. With the new machine the doctors expect to be able to make their professional trips under any conditions of weather or travel.

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SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Berlin announces that national strike of one hour affecting all workers, will be called in Germany next Monday as a protest against Ruhr occupation.

Poincaré, in French senate repudiates any heritage from warlike ancestors and declares presence of French in the Ruhr is essentially a guarantee of peace.

Turks at Lausanne win in their insistence that Christian inhabitants of Turkey shall not escape military service.

Enthusiastic receptions to Poincaré in both French houses have surpassed all such demonstrations since the armistice.

British cabinet has apparently definitely decided on waiting policy and

will avoid for the present any serious step affecting close entente relations.

Wives and sweethearts of American soldiers at Coblenz shed tears at news of recall of United States troops.

Marshal Foch, in plain evening dress and looking far from militarist, praises Lafayette Escadrille at Paris banquet.

Princess Helen at Palermo, Constantine's eldest daughter, says that her father died of a broken heart.

London Westminster Gazette, discusses possibility that Rhenish Westphalian syndicate may ship its papers to United States.

Germans of the Ruhr seem stolidly to have accepted French occupation but give impression to observers that dark days are ahead.

Death in New York city of Judge William H. Moore, 74, noted as financier and horseman.

Rev. Dr. Percy Gordon, formerly assistant rector of St. Bartholomew's Protestant Episcopal church, New York, is found dead in Hotel Wolcott

with bullet wound in his head and authorities declare he committed suicide.

Prince Christopher now in New York announces that plans for American tour with Princess Anastasia will have to be changed as result of death of his brother, Constantine.

German Ambassador Welford makes formal protest to state department at Washington against occupation of the Ruhr by France.

No evidence of incendiarism with fire that destroyed St. Charles church property, Woburn, is announced by Fire Marshal Neul.

Swenson Granite Co., Concord, N. H., signs agreement with Granite Cutters ending a strike in progress since April 1, 1922.

Otto C. Behrens, under arrest, charged with conspiracy to steal \$13,120 from Beacon Security Co., Boston.

Police guard St. Mary's church and school, Manchester, N. H., as result of reported attempts of incendiarism.

PROTECTION OF WOMEN IN INDUSTRY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Protection of women in industry from exploitation as to wages, hours and working conditions and removal of mothers from industry were the keynotes of an address by Secretary Davis yesterday, opening the three-day sessions of the conference on women in industry called by the women's bureau of the department of labor.

"Today, more than one-fifth of the women of the United States are employed in gainful occupations," the secretary said, "and more than one-tenth of the married women of the nation are so employed. These figures demonstrate clearly the need for thorough consideration of the problems which confront these mothers and potential mothers of our citizens of the future. Upon the right solution of these problems depends our very existence as a nation."

"I say here and now and I shall stand unequivocally on this proposition: Take out of industry those mothers who have babies to care for. Any economic structure which is anywhere based upon the labor in industry of the mothers of the nation is false and sooner or later it will come crashing down about our heads."

"Women in industry form a new condition in our life. It is significant that during the decade between 1910 and 1920, the number of women employed in our strictly industrial plants, in the manufacturing and mechanical factories, has increased by 100,000. Women in industry are largely without protection that has come to the male worker through the traditions of his craft and the long years of precedent which surround his employment. Women have demonstrated that they are entitled to equal pay for equal work in industry, but in many cases it has been found difficult to establish even this simple standard."

"The problem of women in industry is a problem for the whole people," the secretary said, adding that no great forward step in our industrial relations could be taken without the co-operation of the "great body of the thinking men and women of the country."

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS INCREASE

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Savings banks deposits in this state increased \$78,823,076 in 1922, and the number of depositors increased 56,601. The Massachusetts Savings Banks association in making public these figures yesterday, said that deposits now total \$1,216,024,216, and depositors number 2,315,051. Of the increase in deposits \$56,229,106 was by dividends credited to accounts.

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is the foundation of business—a mutual confidence existing between buyer and seller is essential to any satisfactory transaction.

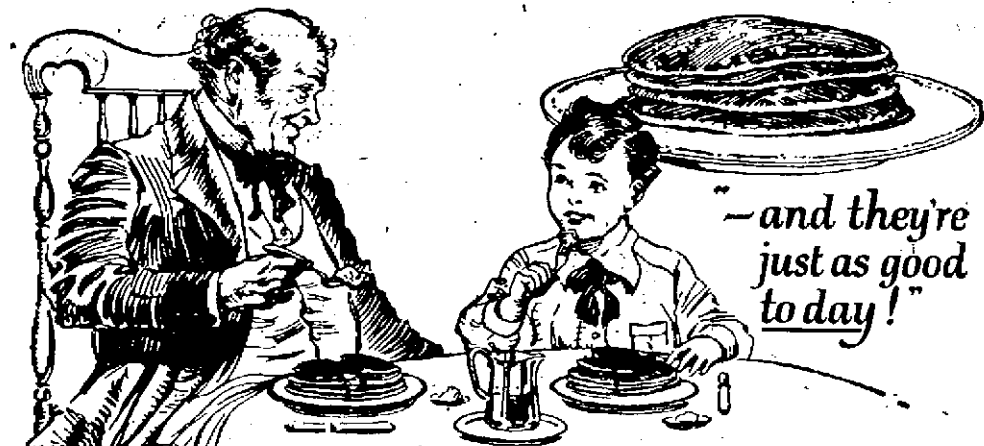
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FRANCE NOW IN GERMANY

France has taken the long-threatened step to compel Germany to pay the reparations instalments on which she has defaulted.

France has already taken possession of Essen, the seat of the great German Krupp gun works, and will eventually extend her authority over the entire Ruhr and Rhineland district, which may be compared to the coal regions of Pennsylvania. The purpose of France in seizing this district is to operate the industries there located and collect the revenues. It is evident that she must also furnish coal for most of the industries in other parts of Germany, as otherwise they will have to shut down, and that would not be favorable to the payment of reparations indemnity to France or any other power.

Already the German authorities have shown their resentment against France by recalling their representatives from Paris, thus severing diplomatic relations with France, same as it the two countries were at war. It is further announced that the Germans employed in the coal mines and other industries of the Ruhr district will go on strike, refusing to work under the direction of French masters. In case they carry out their threat, France will be face to face with a very serious situation. Indeed, should the German people decide to meet French aggression by passive resistance, we believe that the victory would ultimately rest with the Germans. Thus it appears that France in holding obstinately to her decision in favor of individual action against Germany, has become involved in complications which will probably prove disappointing from a financial standpoint, and impracticable from every other point of view. Not only has she broken relations with Germany, but also with England. Even the United States, that has maintained an army in the Ruhr and Rhineland district since the close of the war, has recalled the troops and they are not likely to return. It seemed inconsistent on the part of the United States to hold an army in Europe for the enforcement of a treaty that we did not sanction or ratify, although we were a party to its construction. This new step on the part of France brings about a situation bordering on war and has greatly increased the uneasiness and the prospect of war which seem to pervade all Europe.

The Lausanne conference has failed to check the nakedty of the Turks whose leaders are evidently ready to take advantage of complications among the other powers that might offer them a favorable opportunity for advancing their plans in southern Europe. Their proposition to drive about one million Greeks out of the territory claimed by Turkey and almost as many Turks from the territory claimed by Greece, would compel perhaps two million people to abandon their homes and seek new dwellings under governments controlled by their respective races. This move, savors of the worst form of tyranny, although it may be the best method of saving the defenceless Greeks from slaughter at the hands of the blood-thirsty Turks.

THE AUDITORIUM STAGE

Some well meaning persons who are ignorant of the facts are wondering why the stage of the Memorial Auditorium was not constructed so as to afford space for the scenery and other paraphernalia required in theatrical performances. These individuals are evidently unaware of the fact that this is the very thing that the Auditorium commission wanted to avoid, and for the very best of reasons.

In the first place, the city's experience with old Huntington hall, which had been used as a theatre, offered a strong argument against any such arrangement in the Auditorium or in any other building owned by the city. That hall degenerated to a sinister refuge for a crowd of hangers-on and ward heelers who waxed fat at the public expense, while the city lost money. For many years that hall was conducted in open competition with the local theatres, the proprietors of which had to pay taxes for the privilege of doing business in Lowell. The Auditorium commission did not want to revive any such condition as that, even if it were permissible; but the general laws would not permit the city to go into the theatrical business in competition with the local licensed playhouses, even if it were desirable.

It should be plain to any intelligent person, that the stage of the Auditorium could not be equipped for theatrical performances and at the same time provide the necessary conveniences for graduating exercises and musical events such as those given by the Choral society. The aim and purpose of the building was not to provide a municipal theatre. If the people want to go to a theatre, they have several from which to choose. At no time was it hinted that the stage should lack the main requisites for a first class public hall in order to provide full facilities for theatrical productions such as are exhibited only in theatres.

In order to combine the essential features of a public hall with the memorial idea, the Auditorium commission instructed the architect in designing the building, especially in the stage arrangements, to avoid every semblance of a theatre and to provide every convenience for public assemblies, concerts and graduating exercises. In that, as in other respects, the architect admirably carried out the ideas of the commission. It may be remarked also, that a theatre as a memorial to the heroic dead,

would be out of harmony with the aim and purpose of the structure; yet strange to say, some newspaper men who should know better, deplore the fact that the stage of the Memorial Auditorium is unsuitable for theatrical performances. So it is, and advisedly so. The city does not want a municipal theatre; it does want a first class public hall suitable for large assemblies, concerts and graduations, and one that will also be strikingly appropriate as a memorial to our patriot dead. That is precisely what the commission has provided in the Lowell Memorial Auditorium.

FOR A GREATER LOWELL

Representative Achin's bill for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report upon a plan for the annexation of surrounding territory to Lowell is well conceived. At the present time Lowell needs more territory for easy expansion. The area of the city is only 11 square miles and especially since the automobile has come into general use, a greater proportion of our people can conveniently reside in the suburbs. The most desirable territory for annexation is that known as the Great Navy Yard, the village of North Chelmsford, and portions of Billerica and East Chelmsford. We believe that if the matter is properly handled, and it undoubtedly will be by a commission such as proposed, the people who reside in the territory mentioned would probably vote in favor of annexation to Lowell. The tax rate at the present time in several of the surrounding towns is higher than in Lowell and if these towns were annexed, they would receive more for their taxes paid than they ever can receive from a town government. The Lowell water supply and fire protection would be important considerations for the neighboring towns and in a short time better public highways would also be provided, although in this respect our city cannot promise very much until it has improved most of the local streets that are now in such great need of repairs.

RENAMING MAVERICK SQUARE

City of Boston has quite a heated controversy on hand in reference to the change in the name of Maverick square in East Boston. The city council has already voted to change the name to Grady square and this has resulted not only in a storm of protest but in the presentation of the provisions of an old statute that would prohibit such change in case twenty-five citizens protested within thirty days after the change had been voted by the city council. The statute in question is found in Chapter 131, Acts of 1909. It empowers any 25 legal residents of any city or town to take an appeal to the state highway commission, now the state public works department, within thirty days after the changing of the name of any public place, place or section, or of any public park when the name has been in use 25 years or more and unless after a public hearing the commission shall approve the change, it shall not take effect.

The objections to the change in the name of Maverick square, which dates back hundreds of years, would apply to a change in the name of any square of long standing. But in case of local changes no protest was made in accordance with the statute just quoted.

THE FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

The failure of the fire alarm system to operate as usual when an attempt was made to sound an alarm this morning, was not unexpected by Chief Saunders of the department. He had repeatedly appealed to the city council for a new fire alarm system, stating that the present system is not only antiquated but actually worn out so that it can no longer be relied upon. It has failed in one instance and may do so in a case where delay may have more disastrous consequences. Here, then, is a problem which the city council must solve at the earliest possible moment; in the most practical and economic manner. If the present system can be repaired and guaranteed to serve for some months longer, or until a new system can be properly installed, then such repairs should be made without delay.

It is doubtful if anything can be done toward the erection of a suitable building before next summer. The job will be an expensive one.

THE FILIPINOS

Judging from occasional newspapers and pamphlets received from the Philippines, the people of these faraway islands are making great progress in education and industry. They are still persistent in their demand for independence, but they are better off, and safer if they only knew it, under the protecting arm of Uncle Sam. In these disturbed conditions, with Japan building a great navy and looking for an outlet for her teeming population, the Filipinos might soon lose their independence if left to themselves.

According to the monthly labor review by the Bureau of Labor Statistics at Washington, the cost of the various articles of food combined showed a decrease of 9 per cent in September, 1922, as compared with September, 1921. That is contrary to the upward trend of prices in the preceding months.

The Ku Klux Klan is working to overthrow the constitution of the United States by denying its guarantees to certain classes of citizens and reserving them for certain other classes. They are the Bolsheviks of America.

SEEN AND HEARD

Most dangerous thing about an auto is a pedestrian.

Staging a comeback is seldom a pleasant trip.

Insane saylums are getting ready for the annual spring poet rush.

That was some show the rehabilitated Southerners put on at the Opera House.

Do you remember what you were worrying about this time last year? Very few of us do.

No one can put a hat on your head and make it feel as if you put it on yourself.

A THOUGHT

The first condition of goodness is something to love; the second is something to reverence.—George Eliot.

Mother-In-Law

"Where will Mrs. Dallas go now that her daughter is married? To her son-in-law's house in Chicago or to her son-in-law in New York?" asked the man on the train. "One wants her in Chicago and the other wishes she would go to New York," replied his wife. "And what about your husband?" remarked the other man. "I hug your husband," said the first man. "The one in Chicago wishes her to go to New York and the New York man wishes her to stay in Chicago."

No Laughing Matter

The newboy was telling about the fire. "A guy on the eight door came to do window and looked down. He crowd moiled. 'G'wan, jump, you won't get hurt. Do blunkit! Ketch yuh! He do guy down. 'Is wad he dead?' He do fire got hotter'n hotter an' he come to do window again. An' de crowd moiled. 'Come on, de fireman's got de blunkit, yuh don't see it. He do crowd too far down. Finally he come to do window again, an' de crowd yells: 'G'wan, jump it. Do blunkit! Ketch yuh! He do guy down, an' de blunkit wasn't dere, an' I had to laugh.'"

Following Directions

Algy was not feeling very well. For some days he had been suffering from acute indigestion. Having tried dozens of cures without result, he at last decided to consult his doctor. Accordingly he called on a physician and described the symptoms of his indigestion. At the conclusion of his recital, the doctor told him to drink hot water every morning on an empty stomach. "Well, well," said the doctor a week later, meeting Algy in the street. "Did you follow my instructions?" "Did any body," replied Algy, "but I couldn't keep it up for more than 10 minutes at a stretch!"

Slip of the Tongue

The following story of a funny little verbal slip on the part of a Boston attorney is from the observant Citizen's column in the Boston Post.

A well known attorney of this city while arguing a case before the United States district court in Boston recently, was asked several questions by Judge George W. Anderson, who was one of the three judges sitting. The lawyer, getting interested in his subject, and on being asked another question, stopped, and pointing his finger at Judge Anderson said:

"In a moment he saw what a breach of etiquette he had made, and recovering himself with an effort begged the court's pardon."

The humor of the incident was apparent to everybody, not least of all to the lawyer in question, who told it as a good joke upon himself.

Tehabad and Tyrus

Now Tehabad G. Pundikson had lands and cash to burn—
So much, in fact, it crops all failed he didn't chance a darn.
And as he glanced a huckle growth and cash to burn—
While all his cows and pigs and sheep fall victims to the lean.

A cyclone swept across his place and wrecked his house and barn,
Quite like the bomb's destruction at the Battle of the Marne.
The lightning hit his granary and fired it, and he saw the flames did not consume was aroused by the rain.

It worried Tehabad a bit, but did he whine or sob?
Not even once, he snarled and kept right on the mending job.
"It might have been a night night worse," quoth Tehabad. "You see, the elements were kind and spared my wife, my kids and me."

His neighbor, Tyrus Tasselweed, who lived a half-mile south,
Went mooping round and full of woe and blue about the mouth.
He rarely smiled, but cursed his luck; and railed against the Fates,
And swore the fine blue hooded all within his hapless gates.

He claimed to be the hardest hit of any guy about.
And said his neighbors ought to "come across" to help him out.
The grief that made of "Ty" a pest (and here's the place to laugh)
Was in the loss some two years back of one ill-omened calf!

The moral of this simple rhyme (and may you give it heed)
So plain it is, and to the point, that the who runs may read?
The man who has no luck at all most often wears a frown,
While he half ruined proves that Fate "can't keep a good man down."

SALE OF PROPERTY

Tenement property in Bridge street and Lakeview avenue owned by the Meigs estate and formerly known as the Parker estate, was yesterday sold to Dr. Maurice Fishman and John Fishman, both of Lawrence. The property consists of numerous tenements and is situated on a lot of land and was sold for Mrs. J. V. Meigs of Billerica.

SPRING MILLINERY

Raffia embroidery is a popular trimming for the first straw hats which are making their appearance in the shop windows. Yarn embroidery, too, is seen extensively. Bright colors are featured.

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MAN ABOUT TOWN

"What would happen in case of a fire on Clinton avenue? That is a question that some of the residents of the avenue, a little thoroughfare off Mammoth road in Pawtucketville are now endeavoring to solve. The avenue is about 200 yards long and has small cottages on both sides. The residents have shovelled the snow from their sidewalks into the street, piling it up the whole width and length of the avenue about five feet high. There is no automobile and not even a horse-drawn sleigh that could plow through so much snow and the residents fear that in case of fire the firemen would be badly handicapped in their work. Clinton avenue, however, is but one of many small avenues that are blocked by the snow and it may be some time before the city employees are able to remedy conditions, for they have all they can do at present to clear the business districts of the city.

Alberic Branchaud, a collector for a local credit house, feels sure that the dog of a neighbor of one of his customers has been trained not to allow him to enter the house on regular collection days. A few days ago Mr. Branchaud was about to enter a certain house in quest of his weekly dollar when suddenly the dog of a neighbor, an intelligent looking pug came along and placed himself in the gateway, threatening to "chow" up the collector if he made another move towards the house. Mr. Branchaud walked away from the premises and kept an eye on the building, while the other eye was kept busy watching the dog, who suddenly entered the "dog bidden" yard, while the dog looked on pleasantly. Mr. Branchaud then made another attempt to call at the house and again his way was blocked by the dog. The collector then went to the nearest telephone and notified the police saying he thought the dog was "mad or something" and the officer on the beat was ordered to investigate. Mr. Branchaud says it is the same story every time he is around the district for his weekly collections, the dog is always interfering with his work. That dog knows his business.

Following is an extract from a letter of thanks received from the federal civil service commission:

"The commission has been informed by the secretary of the civil board of civil service examiners in your city that your paper has rendered valuable assistance by publishing notices of examinations for the federal civil service."

"The commission wishes to express to you its appreciation of your help in its work. It is the aim of the commission to keep the federal civil service recruited at all times with the best grade of workers available in the various lines. The government, serving as it does all the people, is entitled to the best in its personnel. A newspaper which helps to recruit the civil establishment renders an important public service."



Tom Sims Says

If conversation were reparations Germany would have some change coming.

About all the girls save for a rainy day now is silk stockings.

Greatest Greek offensive is garlic.

It takes a lot of nerve to be tickled at what a hard time you have.

Living is high, but the real article is not so very scarce.

Mirrors are great things. They show you someone you can trust.

It is a long spell of bad weather that has no turning.

Forty people saw a man rob a Los Angeles bank, so they may have thought it was the landlord collecting the rent.

In spite of the fact that 1922 has 53 of those blue Monday's the outlook is very bright.

They sang songs at a meeting of New Jersey wets. Perhaps they sang "The Thrill is Yet to Come."

The price of haircuts has gone up in Chicago, but it is too cold there to get a haircut anyway.

The stingiest man in town has a button and wants someone to give him an overcoat to sew on it.

The trouble with all these people viewing things with alarm is they alarm things with their views.

Some pretty day we are going out to the porchouse and see how many oil speculators are there.

A Chicago handit was caught in Seattle, showing a man is always safer in his own home town.

If some animal trainer wants to be useful he could train moths to eat holes like lace.

The only place a man can get a phone number in three seconds is on the movie screen.

Law against being more than 1 1/2 per cent efficient applies to booze not enforcers.

Outcome of a business always depends upon the income of a business.

The recent report of the death of a Russian leader is deplored by some because it is untrue.



LOOK, GIRLS!

Frank Donovan, Los Angeles conductor, must wed to get a \$100,000 bonus from his grandmother. But he got to live happily with his wife ten years before he gets it. Donovan's single girls do you durandut.

COMMUNICATIONS

The following communication received at The Sun office and having to do with President Harding's veto of the Civil War Pension Bill is self-explanatory:

The writer of this article is a Civil War veteran and one who represents an army of 2,500,000 men from a Christmas present. Thousands of us have not crossed the great divide. The average of the surviving veterans is 75 years. At the present time they are dying at the rate of fifty thousand a year and five years from now it will be a story of the past. The pension bill I refer to was passed by the house and senate and remained in the hands of a committee for over four months. Nine days after it left the committee's hands it went to President Harding. The bill had passed the house and senate without a dissenting vote, which was a very rare thing. We were all pleased and it came to us as a Christmas present. Thousands of us old men would receive a few thousand dollars of this money coming from the federal treasury. It was the country which we made what it is today by our efforts. Of the nation that has honored us in the past, an honor for which we are grateful, I might say more but the people can say the rest and we will feel as kindly to the men who framed and prospered the bill as though it had become a law. Thousands of our comrades were looking forward to that gift that would supply us with the necessities of life for the few remaining days that are left us. Some of us went for joy but our hopes were blasted when our honorable president decided that the granting of the pension would be money well spent. I wish to say a few words to the boys who are called the World War boys. You received the same medicine that we did. There are four million of you in this country, and you are voters. You are to say to the people of this nation who the next president will be. We are with you. If we can't trust you who can we trust? We look to you as our boys, our friends, and I hope you will see to it that your fathers receive the best that this world can give them. (Signed) MARTIN SANDERSON, Lowell General Delivery.

CHIC CHIC CHIC

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Cornets, medium and low bust, in plain material; also fancy broche, \$2.50 values \$1.95

Gowns, slip-on and buttoned models, lace and embroidery trimmed, \$1.25 values \$1.00

Discontinued Styles in Bon Ton and Neop Cornets at Half-Price

Colored Petticoats, in all colors, with novelty flounces, \$1.50 values \$1.00

Women's Sport Hats, \$1 values 60c

Flannellette Gowns, in dainty stripes, with and without collars, \$1.50 values \$1.00

Flannellette Pajamas, slightly soiled, values up to \$2.50, at \$1.50

Bungalow Aprons, dainty stripes and checks, with pocket and bow, \$1.00 values 60c

Broken sizes in Browsers and Knit Underwear, 50c values 30c

CHIC CHIC CHIC

The "Chic" Shop

50 CENTRAL STREET

Through to Prescott St.

CHIC CHIC CHIC

CHIC CHIC CHIC

INDIGESTION !!!

UPSET STOMACH,

GAS, GAS, GAS

Chew a few Pleasant Tablets, Instant Stomach Relief

Apply Sulphur as Told When Your Skin Breaks Out

Any breaking out of the skin on face, neck, arms or body is overcome quickest by applying Mentho-Sulphur. The pimples seem to dry right up and go away, declares a noted skin specialist.

Nothing has ever been found to take the place of sulphur as a pimple remover. It is harmless and inexpensive. Just ask any druggist for a small jar of Mentho-Sulphur and use it like cold cream.—Adv.

SULPHUR CLEARS A PIMPLY SKIN

Instant relief from sourness, gases or acidity of stomach; from indigestion, flatulence, constipation, headache or any stomach distress.

The moment you chew a few "Pape's (Diapase)" tablets your stomach feels fine.

Correct your digestion for a few cents. Pleasant! Harmless! Any drug store.—Adv.

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Berton Braley's Daily Poem Nonproducers

The socialists get all het up about the leisure class Which doesn't do a lick of work yet rolls in unearned riches, That little band of idle rich supported by the mass Which has to toil for livelihood on farms, in shops and ditches; But members of that leisure class are very few and far, It really doesn't matter much what aims they are pursuing, The actually wasteful bunch of nonproducers are The people working hard at things that are not worth the doing!

The washroom boys; the checkroom girls; the doorman in the stores; The hatters anking derby hats throughout this mighty nation; The men who want to watch your car; the long, long-winded borus Who make an after-dinner speech a wearisome oration; The business men who fill their time with conferences vain, Or write dull books about their lives—dull lives, though somewhat checked; The overdriven printer-folk with livelihoods to gain, By printing congressmen's remarks—"extended in the Record."

These are a few myriads who toil and scheme and sweat At doing wholly useless things that really do not matter, And yet they're working hard enough, they hustle and they fret, They use a lot of energy and make a noisy clatter. The world would be a better place if all this busy mob Were switched to labor worth the while, to delving and to hewing, (Still you and I might suddenly be looking for a job, If no one worked at anything that wasn't worth the doing.)

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Lois Weber, Movie Producer, Gets Divorce

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 12.—Lois Weber, motion picture producer, was granted a divorce from Phillips Smalley, June 24 last in the Los Angeles superior court one day after she filed her complaint, it was learned yesterday, according to the Los Angeles Examiner. The complaint was entered under the title of "F. L. Smalley vs. W. P. Smalley." Smalley, well known in motion picture circles, is generally called Phillips Smalley. Miss Weber seldom was called Mrs. Smalley. Miss Weber charged Smalley with habitual intemperance, which he denied.

Lloyd George Did Not Attend Bull Fight

GIBRALTAR, Jan. 12.—A report that David Lloyd George had attended a bull fight as a feature of his sojourn at Algeciras, has caused the former British premier much annoyance, a member of his party said today. What was heralded as a bull fight was in reality, it was explained, only a garden festival held at an Andalusian estate where bulls are reared for the ring. There was, however, no fight.

Brunswick

February Records

NOW ON SALE

Contained in this list of super-feature records is the first Brunswick Record of SIGRID ONEGIN, the "supreme contralto of the age," now with the Metropolitan Opera Co., New York.

For Your Convenience—Clip This List

BRUNSWICK RECORDS PLAY ON ANY PHONOGRAPH

Artist	Popular	Dance Hits	Selection	No.	Price
Isam Jones' Orchestra	Burning Sands—Fox Trot	Aunt Linger's Children Blues		2358	.75
Isam Jones' Orchestra	The Fuzzy Wuzzy Bird—Fox Trot	Broken Hearted Melody—Waltz		2359	.75
Bennie Krueger's Orchestra	Dumbell—Fox Trot	The Thief—Fox Trot		2360	.75
Orlando Terrace Orchestra	All Muddled Up—Fox Trot	Rose of the Rio Grande—Fox Trot		2361	.75
Arnold Johnson and His Orchestra	China Boy—Fox Trot	One Night in June—Fox Trot		2362	.75
Joseph C. Smith and His Orchestra	I Still Can Dream—Fox Trot	When Hearts Are Young—Fox Trot		2363	.75
Artist	Popular	Songs	Selection		
Marion Harrie	Mississippi Choo Choo	Who Cares?		2364	.75
Brox Sisters	Coming on Home	Bring on the Rain on the To-Morrow		2365	.75
Margaret Young	Jimbo Jambo	Rocky Mountain Moon		2366	.75
Hart and Shaw Jones and Hare	Down by the Old Apple Tree			2367	.75
Artist	Songs—Operatic	Selection			
Sigrid Oegin	Samson & Delilah	Carmon		50013	2.00
Artist	Songs—Concert and Ballad	Selection			
Mario Chamlee	Agnus Dei	Ave Maria		50021	2.00
Giuseppe Danise	Vol ed to	Lutananza		15023	1.50
Theo Karle	Little Bit of Heaven	Heaven at the End of the Road		13058	1.25
Irene Williams	I Dream I Dwell in Marble	Moon Song		5176	1.00
Artist	Instrumental	Selection			
Eddy Ney	Spinning Song—Moment Musical	Recess—Piano Solo		15026	1.50
Bronislaw Huberman	Kol Nidrei	Mazurka—Violin Solo		60023	2.00
Capitol Grand Orchestra	Orpheus in Hades Overture in Two Parts	To a Wild Rose		20003	1.25
Paul Frenkel	To a Water-Lily—Cello Solo			2351	.75

SPECIAL RECORDS PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED

Artist Songs—Concert and Ballad Selection			
Marlo Charnice	Agnus Dei Ave Maria	50021	2.00
Giuseppe Damine	Vof ed lo Luntananza	15023	1.60
Theo Karis	Little Bit of Heaven Heaven at the Edge of Road	13058	1.35
Irene Williams	I Dreamt I Dwelt in Marble Halls Moon Song	5178	1.00
Artist Instrumental Selection			
Elly Ney	Spinning Song—Moment Musi- cal	15026	1.50
Bronislaw Huberman	Ecclesiast—Piano Solo Kiss Nidrei	60022	2.00
Capitol Grand Orchestra	Mazurka—Violin Solo Orpheus in Under Overture in Two Parts	20003	1.25
Paul Frenkel	To a Wild Rose Solo To a Water-Lily—Celesta Solo	2351	.75



FRENCH TROOPS ON THE MARCH

Poilus in this uniform again move forward into German territory, carrying out her expressed intention to occupy the Ruhr region.

SELL STATE HOSPITALS TO COUNTIES

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—The state department of public health after a study of tuberculosis hospitals, recommended to the legislature yesterday that the North Reading state sanatorium be sold to the counties of Middlesex and Worcester, which have long had the state sanatorium at Westfield, now used for children, be sold to Hampshire, Franklin, Berkshire and Hampden counties, and the city of Springfield, as a district tuberculosis hospital for adults, and that the state hospital at Rutland, now used for adults, be converted for use by children.

The report also recommended that the use of the various county tuberculosis hospitals be under the supervision of a board of trustees, composed of the chairman of the board of trustees of each county hospital, with the state commissioner of public health acting as chairman of the new board, ex-officio.

Seven districts would be established. No. 1, counties of Hampshire, Berkshire, Franklin and Hampden, and the city of Springfield; No. 2, Middlesex and Worcester counties and the municipalities of Suffolk county outside of Boston; No. 3, Bristol county; No. 4, Essex county; No. 5, Norfolk county; No. 6, Plymouth county, and No. 7, the counties of Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket.

WAR ON GAMBLING AT COUNTY FAIRS

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 12.—War is to be waged against gambling at county fairs this year. Commissioner Albert W. Gilbert of the state department of agriculture told the delegates to the annual meeting of the New England Fairs Association in this city yesterday. He said that conditions had reached a stage where drastic action is necessary to discourage the use of gambling devices which hurt the fair and take away the people's money. He said that the fair bureau has become a competitor of the county fair. The commissioner announced that his department will establish a school for judging cattle, fruits and vegetables this year. Classes to be held in various parts of the state. President E. C. Wilcox of Greenfield presided at the meeting.

EXTENSION COURSE IN ADVERTISING

Advertising including the art of "advertising" and the preparation of copy for the newspapers is the subject of a course which the division of university extension is offering in Lowell. This class, which will meet Friday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Lowell high school, will be given by E. S. Whitten of Boston. Current newspapers and magazines together with the lesson papers furnished by the state will take the place of textbooks in the class. According to Mr. Whitten, students will deal with actual sales problems of Lowell advertisers. Instruction will be given in the analysis of selling points in the writing of headlines and body matter, and in methods of display. Subjects of special interest to persons in retail business will be taken up.

E. P. Dutton, chairman of the educational committee of the Lowell Advertising club; Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of schools; and J. P. Ryan and W. S. Perry, of the United Commercial Travelers' association are interested in the organization of this class and it is mainly through the interest of former students in salesmanship classes conducted by J. J. Morgan and L. S. Tracy that this class is to be given here. The twelve sessions of the course will include exercises of the writing convincing copy, lively headlines and interesting items of business news. Contributions of students will be accepted at the first meeting of the course to be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Residents of Lowell or vicinity interested in the study of advertising may apply for membership at that time.

PROTESTS RELEASE OF JACK RABBITS

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 12.—The release of 35 Jack rabbits in Greenfield Saturday as one of the features of a big winter carnival will be protested by A. W. Gilbert, state commissioner of agriculture. Mr. Gilbert said here yesterday and he will take up the matter with the state department of conservation on the ground that such animals have proved a pest in the west.



FOURTH WIFE ASKS DIVORCE

Mrs. Elvira Bruguere, fourth wife of Dr. Peder Salber Bruguere, San Francisco millionaire, is seeking a divorce. Two of Peder's other wives divorced him and a third died.



MOTHER, MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS WITH "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Even Cross, Feverish, Sick Children Love Its Taste and it Never Fails to Empty Little Bowels

When constipated, bilious, irritable, listless, or full of cold, your little one needs a teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" to quickly start liver and bowel action. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works the sour bile and undigested food right out and you have a well, playful child again. Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. It never cramps or overacts. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup," which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mothers! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Adv.

ASPIRIN

SAY "BAYER" when you buy. Insist!

Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets, you are not getting the genuine Bayer product prescribed by physicians over 23 years and proved safe by millions for



Colds Headache
Toothache Rheumatism
Neuritis Lumbago
Neuralgia Pain, Pain

Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proper directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets—Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacian-Celestine of Salicylic Acid.

Renew Well Stomach Pep

Leave the ranks of bilious, sour-stomach folks, afraid to eat, troubled with gas, headaches and heartburn. Join the "well stomach" hearty eaters who rejoice in every good thing there is to eat without fear of indigestion or acid stomach. Many use MI-ONA at first symptoms of stomach weakness and find immediate relief. Makes you feel so good so quick! Restores the old Vim and Go. Splendid for children. Pleasant and harmless. Forms no habit. Stops acid stomach ailments before they become chronic and lead to more serious complications. MI-ONA is preserved perfectly and kept sanitary by packing in air-tight paraffined tape. Insist on genuine MI-ONA from your druggist. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. Sold by all Druggists.

GREEN'S DRUG STORE



COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold in Few Hours

Instant relief. Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and sniffing! Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. The first dose opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages of head; stops nose running; relieves headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing. The second

and third doses usually break up the cold completely and end all gripe misery. "Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. One or two tonight will empty your bowels completely by morning, and you will feel splendid. They work when you have Dizzy Headache, Colds, biliousness, indigestion, or upset, Acid Stomach is candy-like "Cascarets," mel, or Oil and they cost only ten cents. Children love Cascarets, too.—Adv.

CASCARETS 10¢

For Constipated Bowels, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Bilious Liver

The nicest cathartic-laxative in the you will feel splendid. They work when you have Dizzy Headache, Colds, biliousness, indigestion, or upset, Acid Stomach is candy-like "Cascarets," mel, or Oil and they cost only ten cents. Children love Cascarets, too.—Adv.

It Will Pay You to Get THE SUN Classified Ad Habit



DOG'S FRIEND

Mrs. J. Paul Fernel, Chicago, loves dogs so much she's made her home a haven for all the hungry and abused ones she can find. And when they're bruised or hurt, she makes her husband, a plastic surgeon, fix 'em up.

Cork, iron and glass have been experimented with for making roads to stand heavy traffic.

Chester Clothes

Maker to Wearer Direct

THE CURTAIN IS RAISED
Here are clothes you will wear with pride—
Reduced to a price you will pay with pleasure

Chester Clothes
Back again to a
ONE PRICE POLICY
\$31 Suits and Overcoats
and \$37.50
Choice of the House—NOW

\$25

NONE HIGHER

EVERY \$31 and \$37.50 Chester Suit, and Overcoat, in every Chester Clothes Shop has been reduced to the popular, practical price of \$25. Nothing higher!

Styles to fit every taste—Sizes to fit every build

Every Suit just one price. Every Overcoat just one price
You Pay \$25 for Any Garment You Select!

Buy NOW—

Save \$10 to \$20

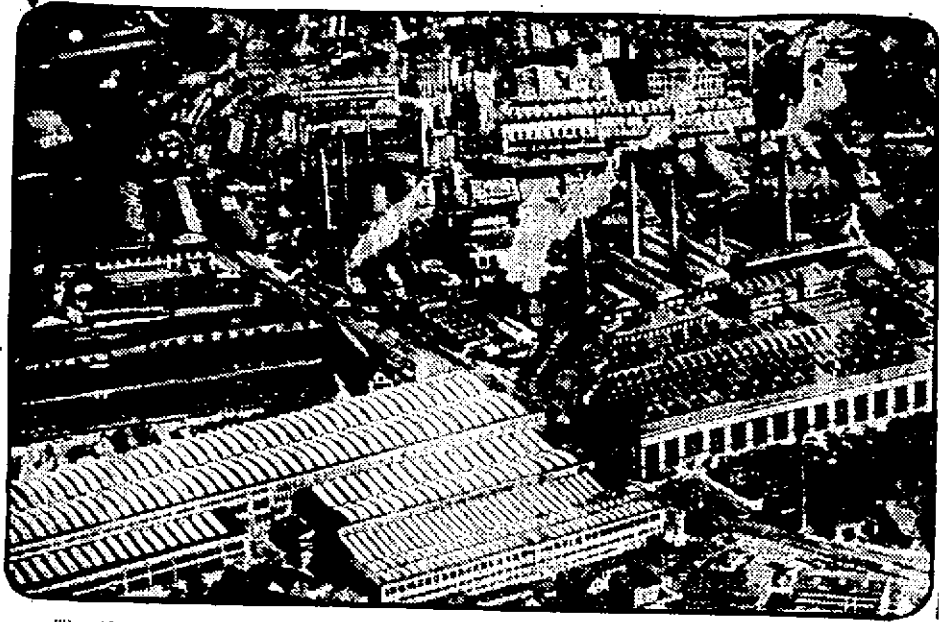
Maker to Wearer Direct
CHESTER CLOTHES SHOP
Stores Everywhere

Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Back

No Charge for Alterations

102 Central St., Lowell, Mass.

J. J. McGuigan, Manager.



The Krupp works at Essen, Germany. French troops may take over these giant factories, formerly devoted to the manufacture of munitions.

Proclamation Issued

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from Germany, and has served notice, through her premier, that she is prepared to extend her holdings if her economic occupation of Essen does not yield satisfactory results. It was understood here today, in fact, that another Ruhr zone would be subjected to "invisible occupation" within three days.

Premier Poincaré, however, in his

statement in the chamber of deputies yesterday, warned the nation not to expect that the opening of the Ruhr treasure house would be followed immediately by a flood of gold. He asserted that it would probably be some time before the control commission's efforts would be noticeably productive.

Factories To Close In Protest

ESSEN, Jan. 12.—All the factories will close next Monday morning from 11 to 11.15 o'clock in protest against the occupation. The committee directing the demonstration represents all political parties.

Railway traffic will stop for 10 minutes at the same hour. The ringing of church bells and the blowing of factory whistles will voice the city's indignation.

Krupp Plants Busy

ESSEN, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) The 10,000 employees of the Krupp plant here went to work today as usual, according to information officially supplied to the French economic mission in Essen by the German authorities.

Strikes are reported in Bochum, but the percentage of strikers is small, it is declared. The French have moved their outposts to Gelsenkirchen, three miles northeast of Essen, and to Velbert, five miles to the southeast.

R. R. Men Make Protest

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—The directorate of the German Railwaymen's union has issued a protest against the French occupation of Essen. The statement urges the workers to remain calm, saying: "Since we are defenceless, we must submit to force in the expectation that a protest to the conscience of the world will obtain our aim."

Sen. Dugoutte Satisfied

DUESSELDORF, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) General Dugoutte, commander-in-chief of the French occupation of Essen, and to Velbert, five miles to the southeast. The statement urges the workers to remain calm, saying: "Since we are defenceless, we must submit to force in the expectation that a protest to the conscience of the world will obtain our aim."

correspondent, "and this has been done. My further duties now consist of ensuring the security of the members of the mission while they are at work, which I have taken measures to do."

"No trouble has occurred thus far and I do not expect any unless the Berlin government should give inflammatory instructions to the Ruhr authorities, which I consider it would not be to the best interests of Berlin to do."

"Our relations with the German authorities are correct," the general added.

The French high commission to the Rhineland, it was announced this morning, has invited the managers of all the factories in the newly occupied zone to meet with it.

German Minister Protests

BERNE, Switzerland, Jan. 12.—(By the Associated Press) The German minister to Switzerland today handed the foreign ministry a note protesting against the occupation of the Ruhr by French troops.

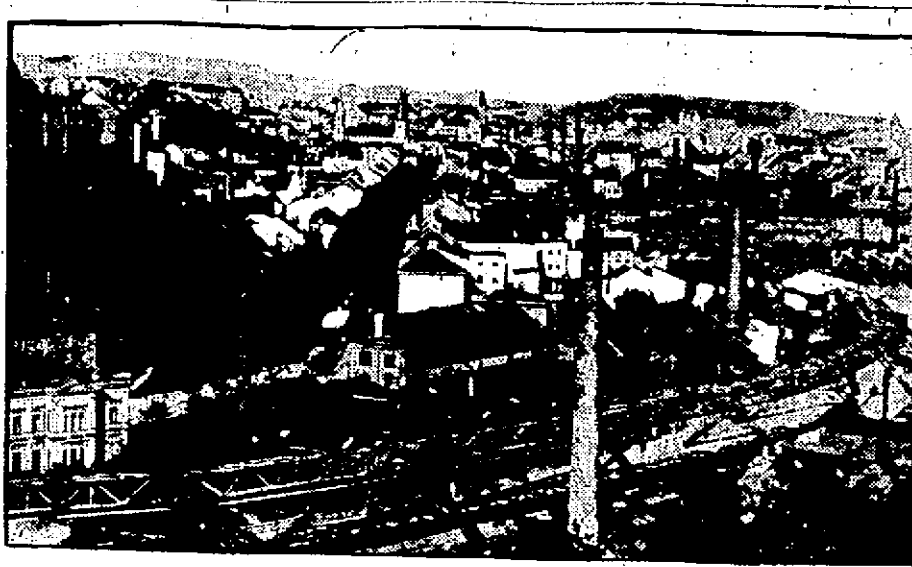
Protest to State Department

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Developments in the reparations crisis, in which further complications loom with the declaration of Germany that she is not in a position to make actual reparations to those powers participating in the Ruhr occupation found the American government today apparently still without hope of any immediate opportunity for helpfulness in the situation.

Holding the Ruhr occupation to be "in contradiction with the treaty (of Versailles) and international law," the German government in a formal protest left at the state department yesterday by Dr. Otto Wiedfeldt, the German ambassador, declared that as long as the alleged violations obtained, "Germany is not in a position to make actual reparations to those powers that have brought about this state of affairs."

An airman moving at nearly 100 miles an hour was passed easily by swallows in full flight.

The Vatican library, in Rome, contains 34,000 manuscripts and about 350,000 printed volumes.



Eberfeld, shown here, is one of the most important cities in the Ruhr Valley.

Rep. Slowey Files Bill

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earned by electric light corporations shall be distributed to the cities and towns in which the corporations operate.

The bill reads: "If the annual dividend of any corporation manufacturing and selling electricity in this commonwealth exceeds six per cent, then in such event a sum equal to the excess of the dividend over six per cent shall be paid by said corporation into the treasury of the commonwealth and distributed among the cities and towns in proportion to the valuation of the property which is owned, leased or operated by said corporation therein."

Still Another Change

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to change its present form of electing its legislative bodies. If the bill is adopted every disgruntled group in every city would be allowed to file a petition with their

This Mother Says:

"Mentho-Laxene Great"

Mrs. Kathryn Schmidt, 122 Proctor St., 21st Ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., writes under date of December 17th, 1921: "I can highly recommend Mentho-Laxene. One bottle cured my child, a yearling, of an extremely bronchial cough that he contracted with a cold last October. I was terribly distressed and I had one doctor's prescription filled after another and tried different medicines of the ready-made kind, but everything failed to check the dread-

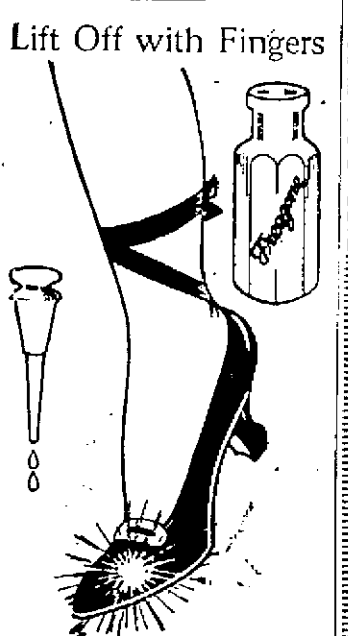


all coughing. Then it was I tried your Mentho-Laxene, which I found a great relief. I am deeply sorry I did not know of it sooner. It would have saved me many a doctor bill. You may publish my note if you wish, for I think every mother should know what a safeguard she may have to keep her children well, in this wonderful, home-made cough syrup, Mentho-Laxene.

Use the pure essence—mix it with sugar syrup to a full pint. My Mentho-Laxene today—and drive the cold and cough away. All good druggists.—Adv.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Frezzone on an itching corn. Instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with Anger's corn lifter.

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Frezzone for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses without soreness or irritation.

COAL ON CREDIT

Lowell Store Order Check System
233 HILDRETH BLDG.
Tel. Connection.

LOST OF CLOTHING lost between West Fourth and Thirtieth Sts., Return New Street Laundry, 233 Thirtieth St. Tel. 2492.

heavy now, owing to the enormous demand for rubbers of all kinds, from the slip-ons to the big "coveralls" that cover most of the shoes except the uppers. The scarcity of common rubbers, however, does not compare with the scarcity of overshoes.

Many Lowell dealers have sent in orders for fresh supplies of articles of overshoes, and have been informed that many of the wholesalers in the larger cities are absolutely wiped out on stocks for the time being.

Some dealers say the demand for women's rubbers are greater than that for men's.

WHO FIRST FELT

"LIKE

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ING

COCK?"

COCK FIGHTING was born with the cocks.

But it is only 80 years ago that the first man felt "like a fighting cock!"

Now it has brothers, sisters, nephews, nieces, all over the world—all feeling "like a fighting cock!"

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MONEY FOR MONUMENT ANNUAL DANCING PARTY

Pawtucketville Memorial Association Awaits City's Action—Funds on Hand

The Pawtucketville Memorial association has money enough in the treasury to erect a monument as originally planned on the small tract of land on the Muddy street side of the Pawtucket bridge, but nothing will be done until the city has seized and razed the building.



CORNELIUS J. CRONIN

On the plot and the park department has granted the land. This was decided at a meeting of the association held last evening in the assembly hall of the Pawtucket school with Chairman Cornelius J. Cronin in the chair. The requisition of the city board at the junction of Mammoth road and Woodward avenue for an athletic field and the car service in that part of the district were discussed and committees were appointed to look into both matters. The committee on the athletic field was instructed to co-operate with the Pawtucket school board and the committee on the car service was instructed to confer with the school authorities in an endeavor to have the use of the Pawtucket school hall for meetings once a month.

At the opening of the meeting Chairman Cronin reviewed the work of the association since its inception and said the officers of the organization have been endeavoring to have the city seize the land and buildings on the Muddy street side of the bridge and also to have the park board members interested in the project, but their efforts have proved fruitless. "I am sure," he said, "that the city will be interested in other sections of the city. All we have had so far were promises." "The purpose of this meeting," said Mr. Cronin, "is to appoint a committee to confer with the city in an endeavor to assist them in having the city pass an order for the improvement of that spot. We have sufficient money on hand to erect a monument as originally planned, but we will do nothing until the land is ready. Some people seem to be worrying as to whether or not there is any money left in the fund, but these will be put at ease in a few minutes when Treasurer William H. Rigby submits a report of the finances of the association."

Mr. Rigby was then called upon and after reviewing in part what has been accomplished by the association, he said at the last meeting of the association it was voted not to do anything until the city had done its share, through removal of the buildings and grading the land. "We fair in those who have devoted their time and energy and in some instances their money to this cause," he said, "do not criticize. If you want any information come to your officers and they will tell you all you wish to know."

Mr. Rigby then announced that a donation had been received since the last meeting from Joseph H. Wilson, the only member of the organization who so far has carried out the wishes of the association in accumulating and selling old papers for the benefit of the monument. Mr. Rigby said the association had been receiving the proceeds of the land by Smith, the village, which is in local banks on interest. Councillor Arthur Genest, when called upon for a few remarks, said that last August he requested City Engineer Edward J. Smith to order for the seizure of the land and buildings on the Muddy street side of the bridge, but when he (the councillor) went to the city he was informed that because of the city being so near the debt limit, he would not approve the order. "The part of the land and buildings to the city," he said, "will be a victory of \$10,000 and at the next meeting of the council I will introduce an order, and I feel confident that I will be able to push it through. Included in the order will be the seizure of the Muddy street side of the bridge and the buildings on the Muddy street side of the bridge and the latter said he would recommend an appropriation to that end. In the line of improvements it would be well for them to confer with him. Relative to the proposed athletic field the following committee was appointed to work jointly with Councillor Genest: Mrs. A. Robertson, Mr. Rigby and Mr. Plimick. The following committee was appointed to do its best in securing better car service for the district: Mr. Newhall, Mr. Curran and Mrs. Chadwick. The committee appointed to confer with the school board relative to the use of the Pawtucket school hall was as follows: John Thomas, Joseph McAvinnia and Mrs. Cunningham.

Telephone Girls Trip Light Fantastic at Associate Hall—All Lines Busy

Associate hall was the scene last night of one of the prettiest informal parties of the season, the telephone girls' annual dancing party. The hall was tastefully decorated in blue, white and gold. Streamers were hung from the chandelier and the balcony and walls were draped in the above colors. A "cozy corner" was arranged for the matrons, and comfortable chairs provided for them that they might enjoy the dancing and the music.

Miner-Doyle's orchestra gave a concert from 5 until 8.30 which was greatly enjoyed. Dancing began at 8.30 and with the exception of intermission at 11 o'clock, continued until 1 a. m. The telephone girls' dance is usually one of the bright lights of the season and last night's party was no exception at all were bent upon enjoying themselves and did.

One of the features of the night's entertainment was the favor dance during which all of the dancers carried brightly colored balloons. The balloons floating gently over the heads of the dancers added greatly to the decorative scheme of the hall, and the occasional bursting of the balloons brought additional gaiety to the scene. The party ended, by their untiring efforts, the congratulations of all present upon the success of the affair: Gertrude O'Connor, general manager; Helen Moran, assistant general manager; Alice Rayson, floor director; Mary Tighe, chief aid; Katherine Fuller, Anna McQuade, Grace Crowley, Marjory Goodwin, Anna Heelon, Anastasia Murphy, Ruby Spencer, Emma Hagstrom, Kathleen Jennings, Kathleen Grey and Katherine Leary, assistants. The matrons were Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. Katherine Leary, Mrs. Martin Cryan and Mrs. Charles Kimball.

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OLD MAN HERRMAN LOST HIS FAVORITE PIPE AND FOUR FRONT TEETH TODAY WHEN AUNT SARAH PEABODY, LEADER OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF PIPE SMOKING, WENT RAIDING.

JEWETT FILES BILL FOR WAS KILLED BY TRAIN IN LOWELL MASONIC CLUB

SALARY INCREASE SOUTH LOWELL
(Special to "The Sun")
STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 12.—A bill filed by Representative Victor F. Jewett of Lowell is adopted by the legislature. Col. Alfred F. Poole, commissioner of public safety, will receive a \$2500 increase in salary. Representative Jewett has filed the bill on the petition of former Representative Leo S. Hamburger of Boston, providing for an increase from \$5000 to \$7500 for Col. Poole. The largest sum paid to any commissioner in the state house is that of \$9000 to Payson Smith, commissioner of education.

KNIGHTS HOLD REGULAR MEETING

Lowell Council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, held its regular meeting last evening. Grand Knight John P. Hart presiding. A report of progress on the minstrel show, to be held in the Auditorium on the evening of Jan. 19 was read, and the announcement made that the new quarters will be formally opened on January 29. The following committee was appointed to take charge of the minstrel, the proceeds of which will be for charitable purposes: Floor director, Edward A. Callahan; assistants, Patrick J. Nevin and Cornelius Conolly; chief aids, Edward D. Hart, T. James Connaughton, Patrick F. Flannery and Leo J. Callahan. The announcement that January 29th had been definitely determined as the date for the formal opening of the new home was received with universal approval and with a competent committee in charge a "red letter" event is anticipated.

DEBATE POSTPONED

Owing to the inclement weather, the scheduled debate between the members of the Greenhalge Debating society of the Lowell high school and the team representing the Salem high school has been postponed indefinitely. The Lowell debaters who planned to make the trip to Salem were Alice Sheehan, 21, Maudie Sokolow, 23 and Dorothy Donohue, 23. Miss Elizabeth A. Whitcomb is faculty adviser of this year's Greenhalge Debating society.

NO SCHOOLS SIGNAL

There were no sessions of the public schools today, due to the storm. The "no school" signal was sounded on the fire alarm system at 7.15 a. m. and 12.45 p. m., although not audible in many sections of the city. Particularly was this true this morning, when a number of teachers and a few pupils of several schools reported as usual, saying they had not heard the signal, although making an effort to do so.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing. Tobin's, Associate bldg. Medium Brown Hair looks best of all after a Golden Gilt Shampoo. Fire and Liability Insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman Exchange. Lamps—"If it's a lamp, we have it. Electric Shop, 42 Central street. The next meeting of the school committee will be held Wednesday evening, Jan. 17, at 7.30 o'clock. This is one day later than a date previously set. Thomas A. Ginty, director of continuation schools and Leo A. King, master of the Edison school, plan to conduct a Washington tour during the last week in April. Mr. Thomas W. Carroll and Mr. Frederick T. Graham, manager and assistant manager of Snyder's, Inc., of this city will leave Lowell tomorrow night for New York, where they will attend a convention and banquet of all Snyder employees to be held at the Pennsylvania hotel, returning to this city Tuesday.

NOTICE

Irish National Foresters
All members are requested to meet this evening in A.O.U. Hall at 7.30 o'clock to take action of the death of our late brother, James H. Murray. Per order.
E. J. CROMLEY, C. R.
T. J. NEVIN, P. S.

LOWELL MASONIC CLUB

ELECTS OFFICERS
H. Stanley Cryser has been elected president of the Lowell Masonic club for a term of two years. With him the following officers will serve: Vice-president, Edgar H. Dixon; secretary, Matthew Johnson; treasurer, Will H. Howe; auditors, William H. Ward, 2nd, and G. C. Morris; directors for three years, Walter Jewett and Paul H. Hartford. The 17th annual meeting of the club was held this week, at which yearly reports were submitted and the new quarters were inspected.

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VERY DELIGHTFUL TRIP THE AMERICAN LEGION

Burton Holmes Takes Audience on Journey Through Chosen and Manchuria

Dressed in the accepted and usual every-day garb of a gentleman of Korea and later in the morning robes of the same country, signifying deep sorrow and was brought on by the death of his father, Burton Holmes, lecturer, last night at the Memorial Auditorium took his audience on a delightful and interesting journey through Chosen and Manchuria.

It was the second Holmes travelogue in a series of three that are prominent in this year's Moses Greeley Parker course and it was given in an atmosphere that accentuated the high lights of the lecture. The colored slides and motion pictures used by the lecturer made up a marvellous collection and Holmes always may be counted on to show scenes never before brought before the eye of the general public.

So it was last night, especially in the second half of his lecture, which depicted wonderful sights in old Korea—the diamond mountains, Buddhist strongholds in the hills, the timber industry along the Yalu river, the old Korean capital, Seoul, now called Kello and interesting side trips to royal homes of ex-emperors through Imperial gardens and a visit to the White Buddha.

Interesting indeed were the pictures of every-day life in Dalren, the great Chinese port of Manchuria. Modern docks, trains, tallman cars, acres of warehouses, metropolitan hotels and fine business establishments made for an astonishing panorama of 20th century progress. The great bean mills of Dalren also were a source of interest. Here the beans are mounded into great cakes, comprising one of the greatest industries of the country. The soya bean is called the source of Manchuria's prosperity and it would seem so.

The beautiful country club at Dalren was visited and it was most tantalizing to see golfers and tennis players spending carefree hours and playing England and prays for the north when spring comes north again this year.

The city of Mukden was reached in due time in the travelogue and here, too, most amazing sights were depicted by lantern slides and motion pictures. A little journey to the north brought the audience face to face with the biggest open-cut coal mine in the world and the Anshan iron mines where Manchurian pig iron is made.

It was a delightful lecture about a country that rapidly is assimilating modern ideas and the vestiges of century-old customs that have been a barrier to its advancement.

Holmes comes to the city for the third and last time this season on Thursday evening, January 18, when his travelogue will be based upon the subject, "Great Rights East of Suez," the country of which Kipling wrote, when he said, "Ship me somewhere east of Suez, where the heat is like the worst, where there are no ten commandments and a man can raise a thirst."

BOGDONOFF CASE HEARING POSTPONED

At the request of defendant's counsel, Qua, Howard and Rogers, the hearing on the Bogdonoff arson case, originally planned for Monday next in the superior court, has been postponed until January 22.

TEXTILE SCHOOL PLAY

The date for the presentation of the annual play of the Lowell Textile school has not been definitely selected upon as yet, but following the custom of recent years, it is probable that it will take place some time in February. The name of this year's play is to be "An Instance," a comedy with many pleasing features. The cast will be announced in the near future.

Local Post Outlines Plans for Year—Col. Stevens Champions Capt. Blake

A meeting of the members of committees and boards of the American Legion was held at the Washington club last night to outline their policies for the coming year.

Dinner was served by the Washington Club force and was greatly enjoyed by the men, many of whom had come directly from work to the meeting. After the dinner, Commander Joseph A. Molloy called the meeting to order and a general discussion was held in regard to the many and various duties falling upon the committees. The officers outlined their projects for the season and it appeared, at the close of the meeting, that a very good start had been made.

Colonel Charles A. Stevens told the men of his testimony in regard to the charge made at the British hearing in Boston that Captain Blake had appeared at a Legion meeting here in Lowell in a drunken condition. Colonel Stevens denied the charge and stated that he had been a witness at the hearing and had denied the charge there. Colonel Stevens' denial of the charge was welcome news to the Legion men for they held Capt. Blake in high regard.

The list of committees, as announced last night by Commander Molloy, are as follows:

Executive—Dr. Joseph P. Kearney, Fred A. Bates, Col. Charles A. Stevens, Cornelius Harries, George, Whetton, Donald MacLarty, Alvah H. Weaver, Harold O'Brien, James P. McCready, Zavier A. Deahle, Joseph Connelley, Dr. Ansel Bryant, Joseph Connelley, Percy J. Wilson, Dr. H. J. Gendreau, officers of the post and Past Commanders Garrity, Powers and Faulkner ex officio.

Trustees—Dr. John Lambert, Dr. Howard W. Jewett and Andrew Jenkins. Graves—William Lyons, chairman; Bruce Barnes and William P. Miner. Entertainment—Allan Dunas, chairman; William Cookin, Fred C. Church, Jr., J. J. Leggat, Jack McAdams, Paul Angelo.

Finance—Martin McCarthy, chairman; Richard D. Donoghue, George O. Robertson, Arthur H. Bno, Allan Eveleigh. Grievance—J. H. Gifford, chairman; Don Overlock, Thomas McCullough. Relief—Dr. C. B. Livingston, chairman; Dr. Nathan T. Tulliver, Patrick J. O'Hearn, Michael H. Harrington, Dr. S. R. Waller.

House—M. H. Harrington, chairman; Warren Churchill, George Crowell, Collin H. MacKerzie, Arthur Moran. Inscriptions on animals' bones are the earliest form of Chinese writing.

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Rich Old Cheese, lb. 25¢	MEATY CHUCK, to Roast, lb. 14¢	Radishes, bch. 6¢
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